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BIRTHS.

GRANSTON—June 26, 1923, at "Iona," Grove Park, Rathmines, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Cranston, a daughter.

DOYLE—June 25, 1923, at Garryowen, Ballinglass, to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh C. Doyle, a son.

LONG—July 2, 1923, at 45 Ashley rd., Bournemouth, Parkstone, the wife of W. J. Long, of Monkstown ave., a son.

HOLAN—June 28, 1923, at Stella Maris, Kerlaffort ter., to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nolan, Ticknore, a daughter.

SMYTH—June 23, 1923, at Nurse Cann's, 14 Dargle rd., to Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Smyth, 9 Saint Barnabas' Gardens, West rd., Dublin, a daughter.

TAYLOR—July 2, 1923, at 3 Church av., Sandymount, to Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, a son (Norman Richardson).

TOBIN—June 30, 1923, at Mellifont Nursing Home, Kingstown, to Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Tobin, Loughlinstown, Co. Dublin, a daughter.

WINDER—June 29, 1923, at 79 Brighton square, Rathgar, the wife of H. M. C. Winder, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

FIDDES and DUBOUX—July 3, 1923, at St. Austell, Cornwall, James Fiddes, Limbe, Nyasaland, to Bertha, daughter of the late Gabriel Louis Duboux, of Cully, Vaud, Switzerland.

O'DONNELL and MORROW—June 27, 1923, at St. Mary Magdalene Church, Belfast, by the Rev. Dr. Stephenson, Anna Maria (Nan), third daughter of the late ex-Head Constable Morrow, R.I.C., and Mrs. Morrow, Limerick, to Head Constable T. O'Donnell, R.U.C., Armagh.

O'FLAHERTY and STAUNTON—June 26, 1923, at Thorndridges Church, with Nuptial Mass, by the Very Rev. Father Cahill, P.P., assisted by the Very Rev. Canon Davis, P.P., St. Joseph's, Galway; Rev. P. O'Dea, P.P., Rosmuck; Rev. M. McNeilly, C.C., Milltown; Rev. Father Francis, C.C., Clarenbridge; and Rev. Father Nolan, C.C., Galway—Michael O'Flaherty, son of Patrick O'Flaherty, Dominick st., Galway, to Aggie, third daughter of J. J. Staunton and Mrs. Staunton, Kilcolgan.

SAVAGE and BEALE—July 3, 1923, at Holy Trinity Church, Rathmines, by the Rev. Canon Phair, M.A., Joseph Patrick Savage, Ministry of Education, Belfast, to Kate Edith Olive ("Kittie"), daughter of Robert and Mrs. Beale, 13 Molesworth st., Dublin.

SIMS and CASH—June 20, 1923, at the Methodist Church, Lower Abbey st., by the Rev. H. H. Cornish, Sidney Harold, only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sims, Southsea, to Althea W., third daughter of the late John Cash and Mrs. Cash, 116 Lower Baggot st., Dublin.

SILVER WEDDING.

JOLLEY and WHYTE—July 7, 1898, at St. John's Church, Monasterevan, by Rev. S. P. Smith-wick, A.K., Christopher E. eldest son of Robert Jolley, Kiltalown House, Tullaghat, and Annie J., eldest daughter of John J. Whyte, Monasterevan.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this Column will be found on Page 6.

DOWNER—July 6, 1923, in a Nursing Home, suddenly, William H. N. Downer, Arlington, Cashel rd., Belfast, eldest son of the late Thomas Smallman and Margaret Downer, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary. Funeral private.

KERR—At her residence, 16 St. Catherine's av., S.C.C., Frances M., beloved wife of John Kerr. Funeral private.

O'FARRELL—July 6, 1923, at his residence, Eighth c., Strakeevan, Co. Roscommon, Michael O'Farrell, Merchant, fortified by the rites of the Catholic Church. R.I.P. Funeral to-morrow (Sunday) to Leamlara(?). 3 o'clock (old time).

SEMPLE—July 4, 1923, at his residence, Norfolk House, Wood quay, Galway, Austin Semple, son of the late Mr. Austin Semple, R.I.P. Interment took place at family vault at Forthill, after Requiem Mass at Cathedral, Galway, yesterday (Friday), July 6, 1923.

IMPORTANT—As pronouncements for this column, if posted on Saturday, cannot reach this office in time for Monday's paper, they should be sent by telegram.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mrs. Lennon and family desire to return very sincere thanks to all the kind friends who sympathised in their recent sad bereavement, hoping they will accept this expression of gratitude.

Mr. and Mrs. Moss and family, 76 Botanic rd., Glasnevin, wish to thank all friends who sympathised in their sad bereavement. They hope each one will accept this acknowledgment.

Mrs. J. Parker and family wish to thank all the kind friends who extended their sympathy to them in their recent bereavement.

The brothers and sister of the late Georgie Astcis Shea desire to sincerely thank their many friends for kind sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

The Misses Shea and sisters, Quinsborough rd., Bray, desire to express their sincere thanks to the numerous very kind friends who have sympathised with them in their recent bereavement, and trust they will kindly accept this acknowledgment.

IN MEMORIAM.

BRUSCA—I noil-cumne Catarl Bruca a ruain bar ap ron na h-Eireann an 7ad Lá den mi tuil, 1922. Ag cur suas Aifreann Requiem Mass ar a son Dia Domnaig, an t-Sath Lá de mi tuil, Seipéal na mBráthar mBan, ar a 11 a Cloc.

BRUGHA—In loving memory of Cathal Brugha, who gave his life for Ireland 7th July, 1922. R.I.P. Mass will be offered for the repose of his soul to-morrow (Sunday), 8th inst., in Whitefriar st. Church at 11.15 o'clock.

HEWITT—In loving and ever-present memory of our dear son, James Robert (Tod) Hewitt, Dublin, R.I.C., who was cruelly murdered at Doolin, Co. Clare, 7th July, 1921.

But O for a touch of those vanished hands
And the sound of a voice that is still.

KENNEDY—In proud and loving memory of our dear son, Sergeant John Kennedy, National Army, who died July 8th, of wounds received in action, Mass will be offered in St. Paul's Arran quay, and Church, Glasnevin, on Sunday at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sacred Heart, Phibsboro, on Monday at 8 a.m. and St. Michael and John's, Dublin, on Tuesday at 8 a.m. Sadly missed by his mother (Sunday) and Monday at 8 a.m.

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KNIGHT—In fond and loving memory of a devoted husband and father, Andrew Knight, of Clarinda Park, East, Kingstown, who was brutally murdered on the 7th July, 1921. Sadly missed by his wife and children.

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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors, or otherwise to have claims or demands against the estate of the above-named Annette McCrossan, who died on the 28th January, 1922, are required, on or before the 15th day of August, 1923, to furnish (in writing) particulars of the said claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Administrator to the Will annexed, to whom letters of administration were granted on the 30th day of June, 1923, by the Registrar of the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice, Sworntract Branch.

And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 15th day of August, 1923, the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall have had notice.
Dated this 4th day of July, 1923.
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SAORSTAT EIREANN.
Pursuant to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in the matter of
ALICE MARION CAROLINE FETHERSTON-HAUGH WHITNEY, Deceased,
and in the Matter of the Estate of HENRY ERNEST WILLIAM FETHERSTON-HAUGH WHITNEY, Deceased,
*SINCLAIR v. ORPEN" (1923 No. 349).
the Creditors and next-of-kin of Henry Ernest Fetherstonhaugh Whitney, Deceased, late of Furry Park, Raheny, in the County of Dublin, who died in or about the month of September, 1921, are, on or before the 23rd day of July, 1923, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Alfred Norman, of 17 Ely place, in the City of Dublin, the Solicitor for the Defendants, the Executors of the said Alice Marion Caroline Fetherstonhaugh Whitney, the Deceased, their christian and surname, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.
Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Powell, at his Chambers, Law Courts, Dublin, on the 30th day of July, 1923, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.
Dated this 3rd day of July, 1923.
THOS. W. ELLERKER, Chief Clerk.
J. R. CRESSWELL, Solicitor for Plaintiff, 69 and 70 Dame street, Dublin.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
Pursuant to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in the matter of the Estate of
ALICE MARION CAROLINE FETHERSTON-HAUGH WHITNEY, Deceased,
and in the Matter of the Estate of HENRY ERNEST WILLIAM FETHERSTON-HAUGH WHITNEY, Deceased,
And in a cause, Sinclair v. Orpen" (1923, No. 349), the Creditors of the said Henry Ernest William Fetherstonhaugh Whitney, Deceased, late of Furry Park, Raheny, in the County of Dublin, who died in or about the month of September, 1921, are, on or before the 23rd day of July, 1923, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Alfred Norman, of 17 Ely place, in the City of Dublin, the Solicitor for the Defendant, Albany Fetherstonhaugh, the surviving Executor of the said Henry Ernest William Fetherstonhaugh Whitney, the Deceased, their Christian and surname, addresses, and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order.
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Dated this 3rd day of July, 1923.
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NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
GODFREY WILLIAM EDWARD MASSY, deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 84, Sec. 19, that the above-named Godfrey William Edward Massy, formerly of Jubilee Hall, and, late of 2 Florence terrace, Bray, in the County of Wicklow, Esquire, by his Will, after making certain pecuniary bequests, bequeathed the residue of his estate for life unto his wife, Eva Susan Massy, and after her death, after making provision for his step-daughter, he bequeathed the following charitable legacies:—
To the Irish Distressed Ladies' Fund, the sum of Two Thousand Pounds.
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To the National Hospital for Consumption at Newcastle, Co. Wicklow, the sum of One Thousand Pounds.
To the Cripples' Home, Bray, Co. Wicklow, the sum of One Thousand Pounds.
To the Representative Body of the Church of Ireland, known as the Representative Church Body, the sum of One Thousand Pounds, for the benefit of Crinken Parish Church, Bray.
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To the "Morning Post" Embankment Home, for New Kent road, London, the sum of Two Thousand Pounds.
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Dated this 3rd day of July, 1923.
THOS. W. ELLERKER, Chief Clerk.
J. R. CRESSWELL, Solicitor for Plaintiff, 69 and 70 Dame street, Dublin.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
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JAMES FORAN, of Nicholastown, near Kilcock, Co. Kildare, Farmer.
Take Notice that, on the expiration of eight days from the date hereof, application will be made for a Grant of Probate of the Will of the above-named Deceased, who died at Vincent's Hospital, Dublin, on 12th day of May, 1916, unless a Caveat thereto has been duly lodged within the aforesaid eight days at the Law Courts, Dublin Castle.
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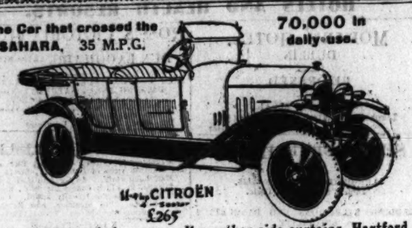

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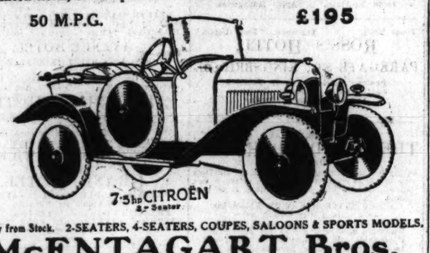

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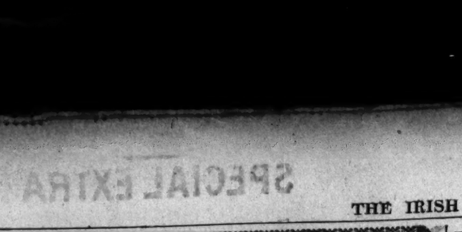

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COUNTY DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.
ACCOUNTANT WANTED.
The County Council of the County of Dublin will, at a Special Meeting to be held on Thursday, July 19th, 1923, appoint a Chief Clerk, at a commencing salary of £500, rising by annual increments of £15, to a maximum of £600 per annum.
The appointment will be a probationary one for twelve months, at the end of which period the Council will consider the suitability of conditions for the appointment on satisfactory evidence being forthcoming of the fitness for the position and the general good conduct of the person so appointed.
The person appointed must present himself for examination as to health and general sound physical condition to the Medical Officer appointed for the purpose by the Council.
The person appointed must enter into a bond through an approved Insurance Society for £1,000.
Candidates must be not less than 25 or more than 35 years of age on 1st July, 1923 (Birth certificate to be produced by successful candidate).
Candidates must satisfy the Council that they have practical experience of such a standard as to the opinion of the Council qualifies them for the position and shall be Accountants and shall hold a Degree or Diploma of an Accredited Society of Accountants, and furnish such other evidence as to office experience, etc., as will satisfy the Council that they are competent to fill the position.
Preference will be given to candidates with a knowledge of the Irish language, if these candidates are otherwise qualified.
Applications, with copies of testimonials and particulars of out of doors, must be addressed to the Secretary of the County Council, 11 Parnell square, Dublin, before 12 noon on Monday, 16th July, 1923.
Canvassing in any form shall disqualify, but applications may be sent copies of testimonials, etc., to members of the Council.
By Order,
SEAMUS UA LAOIDHLEIGH, Secretary.

WANTED, LADY or GENTLEMAN, high class COSTUME MAKER, to take charge of room, to fit, cut, etc.; constant employment; Sports Clothes. Must be good directress. State age accustomed to best city trade considered.
Good salary to suitable person.
Apply, giving details of experience and salary expected, to
MRS. WALSH,
Messrs. Hall Factory,
LORRVILLE, WEXFORD.

TURNER AND FITTER.
With good experience in small work; accustomed to screw cutting and accurate lathe work, able to work to micrometer; fair wages and constant work to right man.—Irish Advertising Headquarters, Dublin. S A

APPRENTICE, Tailoring, front shop, cutting, general trade; fee not needed; apply Mill 1872, this office. 5 A

A GENT to Lady Superintendent Required for Girls' and Children's Holiday Home (Protestant); July 14th, September 1st; probably longer; salary 15/- weekly and board. Apply, with copy references and qualifications, R 1765, this office.

A PPRENTICE—Wanted, well educated Girl, 16; Fee not wanted, as Apprentice to Millinery and General Sales, near Dame Street; hours 9 to 6; commencing fee £30. Address "Z 3270, Apprentice," this office. 6 O

ARCHITECTURAL Draughtsman required by firm of architects in Cork. Apply, stating experience and salary expected, 746, Irish Times Branch Office, Cork.

A SPARABLE Junior Assistant Wanted for General Hardware, Ironmongery, and Timber Business in N.W. Free Stable town; state religion, age, experience, and wages; outdoor; excellent opps. Address "Z 3295, Assistant," this office.

BOOKBINDING—Graham and Heslip, 41 Franklin street, Belfast, want a thoroughly experienced Working Foreman for their Bookbinding Department.

CONFIDENTIAL Shorthand Writer and Typist Wanted for important Dublin commercial firm. Apply, by letter only, stating experience, age, and salary required, to Messrs. Webb and Webb, 1 Suffolk street, Dublin.

DRAPERY Buyer—McBirney and Co., Ltd., Dublin, require a Man of ability, with first class Wholesale and retail experience, to Buy for their Drapery Department. Apply (by letter in first instance) at Acton's Buildings.

EXPERIENCED Lady Assistant Wanted. Apply 1 Pillar House, Seville place. 6 O

FIRST class Alteration Hands for Costume Department.—Pim Brothers, Ltd., 24 North Earl st., Dublin.

GROCERY and Provision Trade—Store Clerk Wanted by Dublin Retailer; must be sober, steady, and previously employed; salary expected.—R 1789, this office.

HOUSE Furnishing, Hardware, Young Man required with special knowledge of Beds, Bedding, Rugs and Occasional Furniture lines.—R 1678, this office. 5 A

HELP, young, required, quiet country place; must be call; family four; Protestant.—Campion, Ballybrack, Kingstown.

HAIRDRESSER or smart Improver Wanted; good. Apply, stating terms, cozy reference, Hall, Dublin.

IRONMONGERY—Wanted, for country trade, thoroughly experienced Assistant for Counter Trade. Address, stating experience and salary required, Ironmongery, 50 Irish Times, Cork.

JUNIOR Clerk required in City Office; some experience in Shipping Trade desirable. Reply, with copies testimonials, R 1640, this office.

LETTERPRESS Machinemen Wanted for city; must be just rushing; good wages and constant work to suitable.—R 1644, this office. 5 A

MOTHER'S Help Wanted, young Protestant, good Englishwoman; one boy, aged 3.—Cotton, 20 Fairfield avenue. 5 F

MILLINERY and Mantles—Wanted at once, Improver's Hand; must be good stockkeeper and window dresser.—Apply, stating salary, outdoor, The Tipperary. 5 F

MAN required for Dublin warehouse; must be good Mr. Packer. Apply, with copies references, stating experience and salary expected, to R 1546, this office. 4 F

NEW East Act—Problems for Teachers and Landlords are dealt with by the Conductor of the Law Column of the "Weekly Irish Times." On sale to-day. Price twopence. 2 2

SITUATIONS CONTINUED.

ORGANIST and Choirmaster Wanted, for St. Paul's Parish Church, Kingstown; salary £60-£80. Apply Secretary, St. Paul's Church, Kingstown. 3 F

OUTDOOR Man, middle aged, Wanted by Caterers to Gentry; must be thoroughly reliable and trustworthy for country and Provision Shop; state wages required.—R 1608, this office.

OPENING for educated Girl as Apprentice in small Typewriting office; Protestant; good training given.—R 1776, this office.

PORTER Wanted immediately, for Sale Office, Dublin; steady, experienced Assistant; state wages required.—R 1450, this office. 5 F

PROTESTABLE Charge Provision Hand Wanted for good class city firm; Protestant preferred. 2 F

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REQUIRED, two friends or elders as Probationers, to vote to two years' training; small Connaught Hospital; if satisfactory, recommended for several trainings; must be strong, domesticated, and fond of children; £25—Matron, Firwood, good references, salary, and to commence. Apply Lisconde, South Circular road.

ROOM, full board, offered return for assistance housekeeping, cooking; meals kept.—G 66, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

SHOP Assistant—Experienced Lady Assistant Wanted. Apply, 10 to 12, 17 Capel st., Dublin. 5 B

THE Vanishing Companion—A new Serial, with lots of thrills and fun, by Sapper, starts immediately in the "Weekly Irish Times."

TAILORING—Trousers Cutter and Trimmer Wanted by City Outfitter. Apply, stating experience and salary, to R 1607, this office.

TYPIST and Clerk required for office of city factory.—Competent Woman required; state age, experience and salary.—R 1688, this office.

TYPISTS required immediately, temporary holiday work; Insurance experience necessary.—R 1495, this office.

VISIT your old pals in America free of cost by working as Steward, Stewardess, Bell Boy, etc., on board an Ocean Liner; experience unnecessary; no bond or Consul fees.—R 1805, this office.

WANTED for executive General Merchant's Office in West; experienced General Bookkeeper, Address, with copies of references, stating salary required, "Z 3174, Bookkeeper," this office.

WOMEN'S Interests are specially catered for in the "Weekly Irish Times." To-day's issue contains a full page of Helpful Articles, Fashion Notes and Illustrations, Recipes, and Answers to Correspondents.

WANTED by Dublin Limited Company, efficient Clerk for Accident and Fire Business. Apply, stating qualifications, R 1547, this office.

WATCH and Clock Repairer Wanted at once in West; experienced Assistant an advantage; age and salary.—R 1785, this office.

WANTED, Assistant Manager for Tobacco and Confectionery Trade in city; state experience and salary.—R 1665, this office.

WANTED, well educated young Lady Shorthand Typewriting; quick at figures; apply, stating expert, terms if any and salary required, R 1626, this office.

WANTED immediately, strong Youth for taking out Orders; jobs, etc.; age about 18.—R 1794, this office. 6 O

WANTED, Apprentice to Pastry Making. 6 O

WANTED, a Baker (T.T.), for country; state wages, indoor and outdoor, or per sack or batch.—Address "Z 3289, Baker," this office. 5 B

WANTED, Junior Assistant for Office, experienced in long accountals; a set of books; state experience and salary expected.—R 1764, this office.

WANTED, Junior Assistant for Office, experienced in charge of Mail Order Department of established Manufacturing Company; must invest £1,000. Address "Z 3218, Gentleman," this office.

MONEY, PARTNERSHIPS, ETC.

EXPERIENCED Trader and Importer, with exceptional facilities and accommodation in Dublin, desires energetic Gentleman to join him, with capital £500-£1,000 for mutual services; fullest investigation.—R 1798, this office.

GENTLEMAN with twenty years' experience of the Linen (India and Egypt), now in Ireland on leave, would like to get into touch with first class Belfast Firm to whom his knowledge and experience of Eastern markets, shipping and buying, would be of value, with a view to joining such a Firm. Address "Z 3258, Partner," this office.

GENTLEMAN, good business experience, wishes to Buy Partnership in Going Concern. Apply, giving particulars and amount required, R 1892, this office.

LOANS—North Dublin T. A. Loan Fund Society, 3 Gardiner's row, open daily, 10 a.m.—6 p.m. Applications for Membership and Loans received by Secretary, from whom full particulars can be obtained. Interest 24-28

LOANS—The Commercial Union Loan and Discount Co., Ltd., 57 Middle Abbey street. Lowest rates. Apply the Manager. 26

PARTNER Wanted for Financial Business; capital required about £500; good and most regular returns guaranteed from a very sound connection.—R 1760, this office.

PARTNER Wanted—Traveller, with some capital, to take over going concern; splendid connection. Interest given.—R 1793, this office.

SHARE Offered in new Private Company, £50 to £1,000; few positions to suitable applicants for Dublin and England; state particulars in first letter.—R 1784, this office.

WANTED, Gentleman (ex-officer preferred) desirous of residing in London and prepared to invest £1,000 to second proposition, may secure lucrative Partnership; share limited liability; business military records, etc.; publications (copyright); by letter until July 6th to F. C. Jones, 3 Marlborough Walk, Cork, after 6th inst. to F. C. J., c/o C. J. Comerford, Esq., Accountant, 71 Farringdon street, London.

£1,500 WANTED on Mortgage of Free Simple Property, Co. Meath.—R 1695, this office. 4 A

HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS, OFFICIALS, SERVANTS, ETC.

POSITIONS VACANT.

ASSISTANT Stillroom Maid Wanted. Apply, with full particulars, to R 1857, this office.

BARMAID Wanted for commercial hotel in County Wexford. Address, with copy references, to "Z 3261, Barmaid," this office.

PANTRY Boy Wanted, Apply, with full particulars of past experience, to Manageress, Suffolk Hotel, Monkstown.

WANTED, experienced Waitress for first class Hotel near Dublin. Apply Matron, Irish Times Registry Office.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

HEAD WAITER (EMPLOYMENT WANTED. Apply; good references.—R 1429, this office. 5 F

WAITER (Protestant) Wanted, temporary; state post; good references; T.T.—R 1790, this office.

REPRESENTATIVES WANTED.

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WANTED FOR THE SALE OF OUR
CATTLE FEEDING STUFFS AND HOUSEHOLD FOODS
IN COUNTIES ANTRIM, ARMAGH AND PART OF LONDONDERRY.
Must be a capable, energetic Salesman, with knowledge of the Feeding Stuffs Trade in Ireland and connection with the Best Traders in this Area.
Apply by letter only, stating age, business experience, towns best known, and salary expected.
JOHN THOMPSON AND SONS, LTD.,
DONEGALL QUAY MILLS,
BELFAST.

AGENT Wanted for Manchester Firm of Textile Manufactures. Address "Z 3163, Agent," this office.

DISTRICT Representative (either sex) calling upon the Dental Profession; first class reference essential. Write Box 704, Langton Advertising Agency, 10 Lr. Ormond quay, Dublin.

SOLE District Agents Wanted for Condor Electric Lamps, for Cars and district. Applications, with full particulars, in confidence, to Charlesworth, Peebles and Co., 134 St. Vincent street, Glasgow.

WANTED for Irish Manufacturers' Agents with good connection amongst leading Drapers and Outfitters. Apply, giving particulars, R 1769, this office.

YORKSHIRE Manufacturers of Indigo Botany Serges require Agent in Dublin to sell on commission; applicant must have first class connection amongst Woollen Merchants and Wholesale Clothiers. Write 7960, Williams's Advertisement Offices, 59 Kirkgate, Bradford. 2 X

AGENCIES AND SITUATIONS WANTED.

AN energetic young Man (Protestant), having ten years' experience as Manager, Grocery and Provision, presently engaged, wishes change; excellent testimonials.—P 46, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

LEGAL APPOINTMENTS.

PRINCIPAL Clerk (Protestant) required for Solicitor's Office in provincial town in Northern Ireland, with first class experience of all office work, including Cash. Apply, stating salary, etc., to "Z 3179, Clerk," this office.

SOLICITOR'S Assistant (country), disengaged 7th inst.; 3 years' experience; conveyancing a feature. Address "Z 3181, Assistant," this office.

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

A SUPERIOR Nurse Attendant disengaged; lady or gentleman; day or night.—R 1516, this office. 3 F

CAPABLE unqualified Assistant Wanted, four hours, outdoor, provincial; salary expected, etc. Address "Z 3244, Assistant," this office. 6

CHEMIST requires unqualified Locum, outdoor, country district; state full particulars, salary, etc. Address "Z 3205, Locum," this office.

CHEMIST'S Assistant, three years' experience, desires change in city; excellent references.—R 1665, this office.

FULLY trained Nurse will visit Patients morning and evening; excellent references.—R 1405, this office.

LOCUM—Registered Chemist required for district in Co. Dublin; state salary, etc., to Box 1, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

LOCUM—Registered Irish Assistant, for Dublin; state salary required.—R 2325, Locum," this office. 6 O

MEDICAL Hall—Progressive Cash Business for Sale; cash, £600; owner retiring; moderate price for cash.—R 1765, this office. 5 B

NURSE would visit patients or take care of sick; very moderate fee; references.—39 Mountjoy square.

NURSE Housekeeper Wanted, Dublin Nursing Home; state wages required.—R 1764, this office.

PHARMACEUTICAL—Youth, three years served to city chemist, who died lately, offers services to Medical Man, Dentist, or good business.—Address "Z 3157," this office.

PHARMACY—Smart Youth required as Apprentice, R 1776, this office. Apply own handwriting.

PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist required as Locum; Large Lot of Vyella Bolster Cases, made from ends of 7/- Very Best Sheeting, full Double Bed Size. Worth 4/- each. Price now, each 1/11

Norse Covers—Astonishing Bargain Offer—120 Full Size Fine Linen Covers, lined Sateen, in Fawn; strongest Hempen material, 7 feet long, finished with cord and eyelets. Price 2/6. Sale Price 12/6

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Next Week's Big Bargains AT McGuire's Summer Sale

Bargains for Monday and Daily Next Week.

Shelbourne House, Merrion Row, Dublin.

No matter where you live you can secure these Bargains by Ordering through the Post if you cannot come to the Sale. So Post us Your Order TODAY. If a Parcel goes astray in Post we make good the loss—as always. We pay carriage on all Orders over 20/-, excepting China, Glass, Linoleums, Bedsteads, Mattresses, etc. Shopkeepers should write us their requirements. Liberal Terms for Wholesale Orders. Write for Patterns of Serges, Tweeds, Summer Fabrics, or anything you require.

UNBLEACHED TWILL SHEETS About 600 Unbleached Twill Sheets. To be sold in Sale at each 2/3

GREAT SALE OF SHEETS Large Blay Twilled

McBirney & Co.'s
Great Annual
Summer Sale
This and Coming Days.
ASTON'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

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TUITIONS AND SCHOLARSHIPS.

A LL Professional and University Prelims, Oral and Correspondence. Success lists free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville street, Dublin.

A LT—Leading Classes, Studio, Illness, Still Life, etc.; Children's Classes. Tel. 3592, this office. A

A SHLEIGH School, girls, boys, Park gate vicinity; Preparation for all public exams.; individual attention; moderate fees.—R 1775, this office.

BACHARD Pupils advanced during holidays; successful visiting Governess, Protestant.—25 Lower Dorset street, Rathmines.

C ERTIFICATED Lady Teacher, R.C., desires morning engagement, holiday or permanent; English High school experience.—R63, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

E XPERIENCED Protestant Governess seeks engagement; teaches English, French, Music, Drill; highly recommended; salary, etc., to G 359, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 5 F

FRENCH, direct method; also Gaelic.—Mademoiselle Breuil, Lennox Chambers, Lincoln place. 3 F

GENTLEWOMAN R.C., desires position as Resident Governess; teach subjects good French, music (English literature); girl 15 or 16 preferred; no objection to be behaved; good references. Address "Z 3140, Governess," this office.

GOVERNESS, experienced, certificated, musical, wishes re-engagement; remember; highest references. Address "Z 3263, Governess," this office. 5 F

HYMMER Cottage, Dublin; Protestant Girls' School, Junction for visitors. 5 G

L ADY wishes to meet and Educate one or two children of over seven, refined Christian home.—Dublin.—R 1775, this office.

NEW Rent Act—Problems for Tenants and Landlord; we are dealt with by the Conductor of the Legal School of the Air; Lectures, Tuesday, 10th inst. Syllabus free twopence.—Apply H. Kent, Secretary. 3 F

NURSERY Governess, R.C., desires engagement; holiday or permanent. Address "Z 3300, Governess," this office.

SHORTHAND, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, etc.—Metric Institute, Dublin (Gillespie), 100 Lower Mount st. Phone 3055.

SHORTHAND and Typewriting—Morning, Afternoon, Day, Evening, special terms; Commercial, Journalistic, Legal; terms very moderate. Apply Secretarial Training Co., 16 Kildare place.

THE Vanishing Vengeance—A new Serial, with lots of thrills and a strong love interest, begins to-day in the "Weekly Irish Times."

WOMEN'S Interests are specially catered for in this week's issue of the "Weekly Irish Times." Today's issue contains a full page of Helpful Articles, Fashion Notes and Illustrations, Recipes, and Answers to Correspondents. 1 F

YOUNG Lady (Protestant) desires post in Secondary School; is at present Dublin, for September; subjects English, history, French, music. Address "Z 3300, Governess," this office. 6 A

YOUNG Lady desires position Junior; Shorthand Typist; highly recommended.—R 1586, this office.

YOUNG girl wishes vacancy as Shorthand Typist; knowledge of bookkeeping; experienced.—R 1584, this office. 4 A

YOUNG Lady, British officer's daughter, would go as Companion to lady without family. Box R 1832, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

MAN and Wife or Rider Wanted to do duties (delay) in lieu of country house.—Box 3173, Man," this office.

MARRIED Couple, trustworthy, thoroughly experienced, wanted to undertake all duties; good cook; small family; comfortable home; wife to assist in house. Apply 26 Frankford avenue, Rathgar.

REQUIRED, smart Protestant Lad for house and table; single gentleman.—Kilrue, Cabra road, Manor, Kildare.

WANTED, Protestant Hall Boy; must have some experience. Apply, with copies of testimonials, Manager, Hibernian Bank, Ltd., Tralee.

WANTED, Under Groom; must have knowledge of hunters, and obliging. Apply 35 Fitzwilliam square.

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

GARDENER Wanted; must be good worker; also groom, milk cow, and classes of poultry; two in family; cottage and garden.—Apply, by letter, Mrs. Mahon, Ballinteer, Dundrum.

MARRIED Couple Wanted (without children) to manage gardening, cows, household duties; good wages and comfortable home; six in family. Apply—Rector, Donabate, Co. Dublin.

WANTED, Gardener two days weekly; Rathmines district; good reference, R 1604, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

WANTED, Married Couple, strong Working Steward, Cook, Housemaid; Cottage, Garden, Milking Wages, £70 to £75. Apply T.C., F.F., good miller must go every month; about 50 12-in. per week; wash, indoor, no help; £300, £350 per annum required. Apply at once, Dr. Wickham, Fermoy, Co. Cork.

WANTED, Steward, Cook, Housemaid; Cottage, Garden, Milking Wages, £70 to £75. Apply T.C., F.F., good miller must go every month; about 50 12-in. per week; wash, indoor, no help; £300, £350 per annum required. Apply at once, Dr. Wickham, Fermoy, Co. Cork. Address "Z 3226, steward," this office.

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

A GENTLEMAN can highly recommend young Man, R.C., as Groom; also strong, willing, orderly boy useful about house; willing and trustworthy; good references.—Apply H. Kent, Church, Ballintober.

GAMEKEEPER, Protestant, requires situation; single or married; best; thoroughly trained; sounds shooting, trapping, ferreting, vermin destroying, rearing, also plover batting; highest testimonials.—Dearbark, Leap, Co. Cork.

GAMEKEEPER, seeks situation; thoroughly experienced in all branches, including grouse, pheasants and rabbit killing.—R 1482, this office.

MALES CONTINUED.

GENERALLY Useful Man; save pony, trap, milk; plain gardening.—R 1737, this office.

GENERAL Labourer (single); good character; reference.—R 1750, this office.

GENERAL Man, farm garden, or charge of small grounds; highest references.—R 1732, this office.

GROOM-Gardener; single; Dundrum district; reference.—R 1775, this office.

HOUSE Boy; Mount Merrion Private Hospital; go together; suburbs preferred.—R 1835, this office.

INEST class Dairyman, Department Certificate and many years' experience; strongly recommended by large Dairy; state terms.—Address R 3213, Dairyman," this office. 4 A

LOOD Cook, or Cook General small family; no vegetables.—Nolan, Willbrook, Rathfarnham. 6 F

MARRIED Man, strong active, wanted for small establishment; recommended; free now. Address "Z 3206, Married," this office.

PERFECTLY Reliable R.C. Wishes situation, Cook; good wages expected. Address "Z 3408, Cook," this office.

GENERALS DISENGAGED.

A YOUNG Girl wishes, to go as General or House Parlourmaid; well recommended.—Keegan's, Upper George's st., Dun Laoghaire.

A GOOD Cook General, small family; city, suburbs; good plain cook.—R 1628, this office.

RELIABLE Girl wishes situation, indoor, 6s out; highly recommended.—R 1777, this office.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS DISENGAGED.

EXPERIENCED Parlourmaid and Housemaid with situations together, or would go separately; disengaged shortly; well recommended.—R 1737, this office. 6 A

EXPERIENCED Parlourmaid, would go House Parlourmaid; good references.—R 1736, this office.

EXPERIENCED Parlourmaid, or H.P. Maid in small family; disengaged 24th inst.; highly recommended; would go on job. Apply to M. Gilligan, Ballyroe Post Office.

HOUSEMAID or General in small family; no objection to one child; disengaged 24th inst.; highly recommended; would go on job. Apply to Mrs. Gilligan, Ballyroe Post Office.

YOUNG Housemaid seeks situation, small family; well recommended.—R 1734, this office.

YOUNG Girl, 18, wishes situation, gentleman's house; highly recommended.—R 1627, this office.

NURSES DISENGAGED.

CHILDREN'S Nurse disengaged; R.C.; good, papers; excellent references.—R 1776, this office.

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EXPERIENCED Children's Nurse, young, wishes to fill a few of vacancy; good needlewoman; R.C. Apply R 1, Irish Times Branch Office.

EXPERIENCED Infant's Nurse, disengaged beginning of next month; wages £40 to £45. Address R 1837, this office.

EXPERIENCED Infant's Nurse; take baby from birth; highest references.—R 1771, this office.

SUPERIOR Nurse (R.C.) seeks post, one or two children; disengaged; highest references. Address R 1775, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

THOROUGHLY experienced Infant Nurse disengaged; highest references.—R 1771, this office.

YOUNG Nurse-Maid seeks situation; suburbs preferred; well recommended.—R 1735, this office.

YOUNG Nurse, disengaged; highest references; situation; city, suburbs.—R 1746, this office.

DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

WANTED, Kitchenmaid, R.C., for country situation; an untrained girl might suit. Address "Z 3280, Kitchenmaid," this office. 5 A

DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

ANY number Protestant and R.C. Servants, all situations.—Kennedy's, 58 Sackville st. (over Purtell's).

A N Excellent Working Housekeeper, disengaged; a widow position in business house; city or country; highly recommended; understands bookkeeping.—R 1739 this office. 5 C

RESPONSIBLE Woman seeks outdoor work; clean of office); highest references.—R 1740, this office.

RESPECTABLE R.C. General Help, disengaged July 5th, wishes situation; Pembroke preferred. Apply 929, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

STRONG Girl seeks temporary cook as General Help; would do relief duty in institution, city, seaside, or country; disengaged middle July for six weeks; or would go where another maid is kept.—R 1709, this office.

SOLDIER'S Widow seeks situation as Working Housekeeper where girl 5 years can accompany.—R 1685, this office. 5 F

TWO rooms Girls, Screwsmaid or General; also Nursery Governess, Protestants; highly recommended. Address "Z 3116, Girls," this office. 3 F

WORKING Housekeeper or Nurse Attendant to lady or gentleman; has experience of both; highly recommended.—K. O., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

WOMAN wants few days work weekly; good papers.—R 1750, this office.

DOMESTIC WANT

YESTERDAY'S CASES IN THE COURTS.

TRIAL COLLAPSES.

NON-ATTENDANCE OF JURORS.

At the Law Courts, Dublin Castle, yesterday in the case of Roche and another v. Harnett (seduction) and Roche (Kate) v. same (breach of promise), which was listed for trial before Mr. Justice Samuels and a city common jury.

The Associate, having exhausted the names on the jury panel, announced that only eleven jurors had responded to their names.

Mr. H. D. Conner, K.C.; Mr. P. Lynch, K.C., and Mr. Binchy (instructed by Messrs. P. T. Liston and Co.) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. McElligott, K.C.; Mr. M. Comyn, K.C.; and Mr. James Comyn (instructed by Mr. H. O'B. Moran) appeared for the defendant.

Mr. McElligott, K.C., said that it would be necessary for him to challenge one juror.

Mr. Conner, K.C.—I am afraid that we may have one juror challenged also.

Mr. Justice Samuels said that to try such a case with only nine jurors was a serious matter. He understood that the parties had been in Court for several days. Under these circumstances, he would try the case without a jury, if the parties consented, but in a case like that it was very unusual.

Mr. Conner, K.C. said that he would be prepared to go on without a jury.

Mr. Justice Samuels—I see there are two cases here?

Mr. Conner, K.C.—One is an action for seduction, and the other is for breach of promise of marriage.

Mr. Justice Samuels—Would they require to be tried separately?

Mr. Conner said that in any case more than one case could not be tried that day.

Mr. Justice Samuels—I can see nothing under the circumstances, except to discharge the jury. They are not cases for a judge to hear *prima facie* at all. There are a very large number of cases at these sittings, and if this is to be the attendance of jurors it means a complete breakdown. I can only adjourn this case until Monday next, and discharge the jurors who have attended until Monday. All the jurors whose names have been called, and who have not attended, will be fined £5 each. These fines will be increased if there is not an attendance of jurors on Monday.

THE BURNING OF GRANARD.

In the King's Bench Division, Mr. Alfred A. Murphy, of 18 Nassau street, Dublin, sued twelve of the residents of the town of Granard to recover the amount of fees which, he alleges, are due to him as architect for valuations made by him in connection with destroyed premises; and the actions were listed yesterday before Mr. Justice Dodd on motions on behalf of the plaintiff for final judgment for various sums, and on motions on behalf of some of the defendants against whom claims for over £50 were made, to have these actions remitted to the County Court Judge of Longford for hearing.

Mr. Conner, K.C., and Mr. Sullivan (instructed by Messrs. Arthur Cox and Company) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Geoghegan (instructed by Mr. M. M. Kenny) for Mr. Peter Heslin, whose case was first taken up.

It appeared in Mr. Heslin's case that the amount of the decree awarded to him by the County Court Judge—£5,000—was reduced by the Shaw Commission to £3,000. Mr. Heslin, in an affidavit, expressed his willingness to pay Mr. Murphy £10 in addition to the £50 already paid to him, and he stated that the other persons who employed the plaintiff were willing to pay him at the same rate, and that at the rate indicated he would be liberally recompensed for his time and skill.

Mr. Conner, K.C., said that all the defendants made the case that they were to pay only on the amount ultimately awarded by the Shaw Commission, instead of the plaintiff's charges.

Mr. Justice Dodd held that this was not a case in which he should make an order for final judgment. He made an order that this and all the other actions be tried by a judge without a jury, with one set of briefs, the costs, including the costs of the present application, to be dealt with by the judge who tried the actions.

CREDITOR APPOINTED RECEIVER

In the King's Bench Division, before Mr. Justice Powell, in the case of Mary Ellen Murphy, trading as Murphy and Company, of 4 Bridge street, Waterford, v. Andrew Phelan, of Patrick street, Tramore,

Mr. Hector Hughes (instructed by Messrs. P. A. Murphy and Co.), for the plaintiff, applied for an order appointing his client receiver by way of equitable execution over a sum of £627, payable to the defendant. The action had been brought to recover the price of coal sold and delivered to the defendant. The plaintiff in an affidavit stated that by an order of the Court, dated 15th June, 1923, it was adjudged that she should recover against the defendant £64 18s. for debt and £8 2s. 9d. costs, together with interest. The judgment remained unsatisfied, and no payment on foot of it had been received.

The defendant was about to be paid by the Irish Free State Government £627, the amount of compensation moneys in respect of criminal injury to his property.

Mr. Justice Powell granted the application.

JURY'S FAILURE TO AGREE.

The hearing concluded before Mr. Justice Pim and a city common jury of an action in which Mr. Patrick Caulfield, a farmer, of Smithboro', Co. Monaghan, sued John McDermott, coach builder and motor proprietor, of Dublin, street, Monaghan, to recover £1,000 damages for personal injuries sustained in a collision between the defendant's motor car and a motor cycle ridden by the plaintiff near Monaghan on June 25, 1922, plaintiff sustaining a compound fracture of the leg and other injuries.

Mr. Serjeant Hanna and Mr. Lardner, K.C., and Mr. Cecil Lavery (instructed by Messrs. Lardner and Co.) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. A. Wood, K.C., and Mr. Geoghegan (instructed by Mr. J. J. Keegan) appeared for the defendant.

The jury, after an absence of forty-five minutes, failed to agree as to a verdict, and were discharged.

Mr. Justice Pim asked on what questions the jury failed to agree.

The foreman said that they were equally divided on every question submitted to them by the judge.

THE PRICE OF BULLOCKS.

At the Law Courts, Dublin Castle, before Mr. Justice Samuels, sitting without a jury, an action was heard in which John Kangley, of Dundalk, Co. Louth, sued J. E. Geraghty, of Whitewood, Kilmainhamwood, Co. Meath, executor of his brother, Patrick Geraghty, deceased, to recover £30 balance, alleged to be due on the sale of eight bullocks. The bullocks were sold by the plaintiff to the deceased at the Kingscourt fair in May, 1919, and the plaintiff alleged that the price of the cattle was £16 5s. per head, making a total of £130, of which £100 was paid, leaving a balance of £30 due, for which the plaintiff had taken these proceedings. The defence was that the sum of £100 had been paid in final discharge of the liability, and the question to be decided was the price of the bullocks at the time of the sale. Patrick Geraghty died, leaving two farms, one of five acres and the other of nine acres, and a public-house.

Mr. Justice Samuels said that the defendant was quite entitled to contest the case, as the claim was against the estate of a deceased person, and he wished to be satisfied, as executor, about this claim. His lordship said that he was satisfied that the price of the cattle was £130, and he gave a decree for the balance of £30, and he thought that the defendant was entitled to recover his costs out of the estate.

Mr. Serjeant Hanna and Mr. Geoghegan (instructed by Mr. M. Hearty) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Sainsbury (instructed by Mr. Thomas Nconan) appeared for the defendant.

SCHOOL TEACHER'S DEATH.

WIDOW'S STORY.

In the Probate Court, before Mr. Justice Dodd, in the goods of Thomas Park, deceased —Elizabeth M. Park, of Montgomery street, Carlow, v. Marcus Park, of Athy street, Carlow,

Mr. Hector Hughes (instructed by Mr. Hugh O'Donnell) applied on behalf of Mrs. Park, the plaintiff, for an order that the caveat entered in the matter by the defendant be set aside, that letters of administration of all the personal estate and effects of the deceased be granted to the plaintiff, and that the defendant should pay to the plaintiff the costs of the motion.

Mr. Hughes moved on the affidavit of his client, Mrs. Park, who stated that she was the widow of the deceased, Thomas Park, who died intestate and without issue at Carlow on the 11th September, 1922. For some time prior to their marriage Thomas Park was a school teacher at St. Chad's School, Cheltham Hill, Manchester, where he lived up to the date of their marriage. His father, Marcus Park, who is an engineer, and the other members of his family then lived, and still live, at Athy street, Carlow. She and her late husband were married at Gorey Catholic Church on the 26th July, 1922 with the full approval of his parents, who attended the wedding. Her husband became ill during the honeymoon, and they at once returned to Carlow, where her husband died on the 11th September. The sole assets of her late husband, so far as she could ascertain, consisted of a policy of assurance on his life effected with the Union Life Branch of the Commercial Union Assurance Company, Ltd., which was valued at £100 at the time of his death, and his clothes and small personal effects. On the 7th December, 1922, being within three months after her husband's death, she applied for letters of administration of his personal estate and effects to the District Probate Registry at Kilkenny, and she was subsequently informed that the grant could not be issued to her without an order of the Court, because a caveat had been entered, and also an application for a grant of administration to her husband's personal estate had been lodged by Marcus Park, who, with his family, had evinced great hostility to her immediately after her husband's death and ever since.

Her solicitor, Mr. Hugh O'Donnell, of Carlow, on her instructions, wrote to Marcus Park inquiring as to her husband's assets, and received a reply, dated 9th October, 1922, stating that the deceased's assets were nil. She had great difficulty in ascertaining the whereabouts of the assurance policy, for when she wrote to the family of her deceased husband for the name of the company with which her husband was insured they refused to disclose the name or to give her any information in reference to the matter.

She had, however, since ascertained elsewhere the particulars, but any delay which occurred in applying for the grant was due to difficulties placed in the way of her ascertaining definitely the assets of deceased and to a lengthy correspondence between Marcus Park, junior, the eldest son of Marcus Park (the defendant), and herself.

Prior to her marriage she was a civil servant in the Post Office at Carlow, from which she retired on marriage. She had since been taken back, but at a reduced salary, as she had lost her appointment and seniority, and she rejoined as a temporary assistant. At the time of the marriage she spent £120 of her savings on the wedding and on household requisites. There was no person interested in her husband's assets but herself. There were no children of the marriage.

It was stated by a solicitor's representative that Mr. Bacon was appearing for the defendant.

Mr. Bacon, having been sent for, came into court, and said that he understood that he had been mentioned as opposing this application. He had no instructions on it. He had advised on the matter that the motion should be allowed to go by default. He had been asked to come in and say that.

Mr. Justice Dodd—If he says the assets are nil, there was no reason for his entering a caveat.

Mr. Bacon—The assets were nil, inasmuch as his son had a claim against the assets for more than the amount of the assets, and some misunderstanding on his part led to his entering a caveat.

Mr. Justice Dodd made an order setting aside the caveat, with costs.

THE PRICE OF FILMS.

Before Mr. Justice Dodd, without a jury, yesterday, the case of Fox Film Company, Ltd., v. the Irish Kinematograph Company, Ltd., was heard.

The action was brought by the plaintiffs, who have their registered offices at 13 Berners street, London, against the defendants, who have their registered office at 12 Upper Sackville street, Dublin, to recover the sum of £516 10s., the amount alleged to be due by the defendants to the plaintiffs under contracts for the hiring of certain films by the defendants from the plaintiffs.

Alternatively the plaintiffs claimed £516 10s. as damages for breach of contract by the defendants. The plaintiffs alleged that the defendants entered into written contracts with them for the hire of a number of films to be exhibited at the defendants' picture houses in Mary street and O'Connell street, Dublin, which were duly forwarded to the defendants, and the defendants refused to pay for them.

The defendants, in their defence, alleged that a guarantee that the Irish Censor would approve of the pictures, which formed a condition of the contract; had not been supplied, and that the plaintiffs had not stipulated to give "first run" in Ireland. The defendants cancelled the contracts on these grounds.

It was stated that, after having repudiated the contract, the defendants got films elsewhere.

Serjeant Hanna, Mr. Swayne, K.C., and Mr. Dockrell (instructed by Messrs. Taylor, Son, and Robinson) appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. Carrigan, K.C., and Mr. Vincent Rice (instructed by Messrs. James L. Bourke and Co.) for the defendants.

Mr. Justice Dodd gave judgment for the plaintiffs for £90 in addition to a sum lodged in Court in respect of contracts for the Mary street Picture House, and dismissed the claim in respect of contracts for the Grand Central Cinema. He gave the plaintiffs the costs of the action, less costs in respect of the contracts on which the defendants succeeded.

ACTION AGAINST A KILDARE FARMER.

The Lord Chief Justice and a special jury of the City of Dublin were engaged for the greater part of the past two days in the hearing of an action for damages brought by Daniel Beegan (labourer) and his wife, of Newtownmacabe, Co. Kildare, against Robert Haddleston, farmer, of Barberstown, Straffan, for that he had, as alleged, assaulted Mary Anne Beegan, the female plaintiff, on the 31st of October last, as she was crossing a part of the defendant's land. The defendant denied the charge, and said that the story told by the plaintiffs was a complete fabrication.

In the result the jury found a verdict for the defendant, and the Lord Chief Justice expressed his thorough approval of the verdict. His lordship gave judgment for the defendant, with costs.

NEW SOLICITOR.

Mr. B. J. D. O'Kelly, eldest son of Mr. B. D. O'Kelly, barrister-at-law, late of the Irish Land Commission, has been admitted a solicitor. Mr. O'Kelly scored first place at the final examination held in May, and was awarded a special certificate.

D.M.P. MEN RETIRING.

Many members of the Dublin Metropolitan Police Force are at present taking their discharge, those leaving comprising sergeants as well as constables. They will receive compensation, as provided under the Treaty.

THE BRITANNIA IN BANGOR BAY.

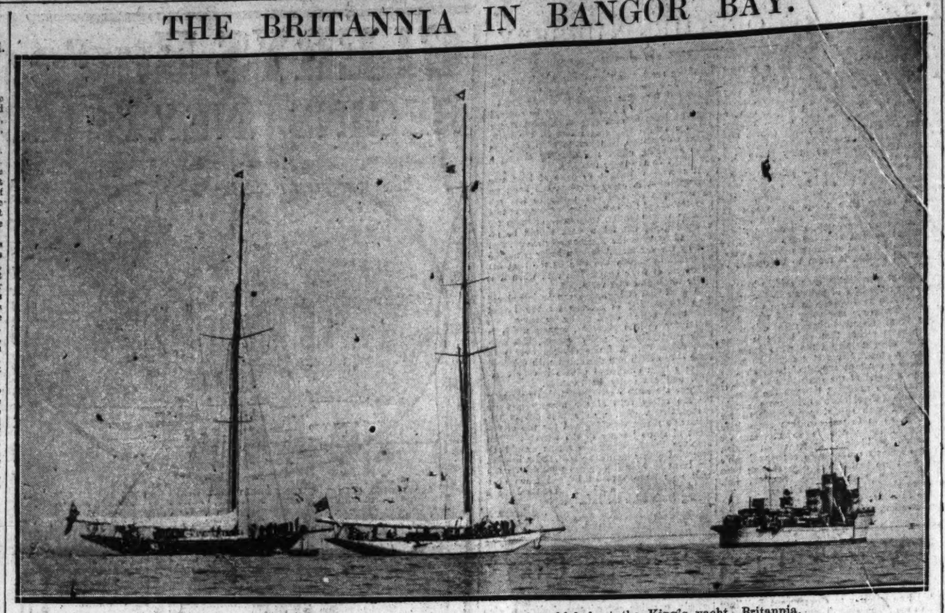

Photo by] Mrs. Workman's Nyria (the white yacht behind the destroyer), which beat the King's yacht Britannia.

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Photograph taken on board the King's yacht Britannia in Bangor Bay yesterday. Major Philip Hunloke, Major Hextall Smith, and the crew.

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The Britannia weighing anchor in Bangor Bay yesterday.

FINGLAS ROAD POST OFFICE.

RESIDENTS' REPLY TO MR. WALSH.

Messrs. P. W. Robertson (Director, Alexander Thom and Co.), Alderman J. Hubbard Clark (High Sheriff), R. B. Allshire, M.P.S.I. (Glasnevin Pharmacy), John J. Kelly (Botanic House), J. J. Hart (Hart's Stores), and Patrick Hedigan (Brian Boru House) have addressed a letter to us, in which they reply to the Postmaster-General's statement of his reasons for the closing of the Finglas road Sub-Post Office. They point out that the office was established 20 years ago, when the district was thinly populated; that since then the place has grown into a busy centre, that last year Messrs. Thom, Government printers, opened a factory there, and that Messrs. Player are now building another factory, that the Tramway Company has instituted special services to meet the requirements of this area, and that, instead of stopping the small services of the sub-post office, Mr. Walsh should establish a telegraph, money and public telephone call office to meet the needs of what is a populous and growing area of the city.

A PAGE FOR FARMERS.

The special page of agricultural news and problems in yesterday's (Friday's) issue of this paper contained matter of very considerable interest to the industry. Among subjects which were treated were:—"Peat Land for Crops and Fuel," "Silage as a Substitute for Roots," "Heavy Pigs," "Marketing of Eggs," "Afforestation in Ireland," "List of Coming Events and Irish Fairs," "A Seedsman's Message," etc., etc. An article from a "Special Correspondent" dealt with some very important considerations which arise out of the present conflict of interests between farmers and agricultural labour in the Free State.

The price of "Ireland's Own" will be reduced to 2d. per copy next week. Many new features, including competitions, have been added recently.

M. Masaryk, President of Czecho-Slovakia, arrived at Lana Castle, his country residence near Prague, on Thursday. He is stated to be in very good health.

DEFAULTING RATEPAYERS.

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AT THE ABBEY THEATRE NEXT WEEK.

Mr. Earle Grey and Miss Grizelda Hervey, who, with a full London company, will open a short season at the Abbey Theatre, Dublin, on Monday. Miss Hervey is a great-great grand-daughter of Lord Edward FitzGerald.

COURSES IN AGRICULTURE.

The attention of farmers is directed to the courses in agriculture to be provided by the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction during the year 1923-1924, concerning which farmers' sons should obtain particulars, with a view to taking advantage of one or other of them. Courses in horticulture and creamery management are provided for students who desire instruction in these branches. Practical training in farming is provided at the agricultural schools at Athenry, County Galway; Ballyhaise, County Cavan; Clonakilty, County Cork; and at the Albert Agricultural College, Glasnevin, Dublin. The Albert College also provides advanced training in technical agriculture suitable for students who propose to enter the Agricultural faculty of the College of Science. Board and lodgings are provided for students at all these schools.

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3. Gur creduithe do gach n-aon a cheistreann suim an achtai seachr i bhfuair agus agoidi do chur i gcomnaidh an Ordaithe Sheilabaigh sin d'iarradh, agus do bheadhfa gach ruiteoracht na cheistreach adubhradh dul chun an Fhiosrichan agus cur i gcomnaidh an Iasacht san do cheadu, no go bhfeadfar aon agoidi den tsort san do chur ag triail ar an gCigire i dTithe an Rialtais, Sraid Mhuirichfean Uachtarach, Baile Atha Cliath, ar shli go bhfuighfear amach iad De Mairt, an 17adh la de Iuil, 1923, no roimhe sin.

Le hOrdu an Aire,
E. Mac CBARAIN,
Runai.

Aireacht um Rialtas Aitiuil,
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SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1923.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

At Waterford yesterday nine labourers were sent for trial on a charge of having attacked farmers' carts and damaged goods which they were carrying.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The King has awarded the Albert Medal to several members of the ill-fated Shackleton Trans-Antarctic expedition of 1914-1917. Some of the awards are posthumous.

Lord Curzon had conversations on the Ruhr occupation with the French, Belgian and Italian Ambassadors yesterday.

There was very little extension of the dockers' strike in England yesterday. While some men in Manchester left their work, strikers in Liverpool returned to their employment. There is no change in the seamen's strike in Dublin.

ABROAD.

M. Poincaré replied to the Pope's letter in the French Chamber last night.

An Auckland-Wellington (New Zealand) train was derailed yesterday by a landslide. Fifteen people were killed and thirty-eight injured.

Efforts are being made by the Allies to speed up a settlement of the Near East difficulties. Hitherto the Governments have been giving more attention to the Ruhr problem.

In what is described as a "calm and friendly atmosphere," the League of Nations inquiry into the Saar administration opened at Geneva yesterday.

SPORTING.

At Newmarket yesterday Sicyon won the Waterbeach Handicap.

The Ruhr's Reactions.

The conversations which have been in progress during the week between the Marquis Curzon and the Comte de Saint-Aulaire do not seem to have been very successful. The French Ambassador's verbal communications have not been supplemented by a written answer to Mr. Baldwin's *questionnaire*; and M. Poincaré's attitude remains uncertain. This delay is causing much impatience in Great Britain, where even the best friends of France are being forced to the conclusion that she is determined to ignore the British point of view and to pursue her own course in the Ruhr Valley in despite of Mr. Baldwin and, indeed, of the whole world. While M. de Saint-Aulaire has been negotiating with Lord Curzon the coercive measures in the Ruhr have been intensified, and the screw has been tightened at every possible point. It is now an indictable offence to ride a bicycle in certain Rhineland towns, while throughout the Belgian area an eight o'clock curfew has been imposed. The town of Duisburg has been fined 30,000,000,000 marks, which, even at the present abnormal rate of exchange, is a fantastic sum, and the severity of the military occupation is being increased in every direction. Transport virtually has collapsed, with the result that the Ruhr Valley is getting only fifty *per cent.* of its necessary food supplies, and the chances of a nasty outburst among the people are increasing every day.

M. Poincaré certainly is succeeding in one of his objects. Germany's industrial and financial prosperity is a thing of the past. Her export trade is at a stand-still; she cannot buy goods in foreign markets, and prices have left wages so far behind that millions of workers are on the border line of starvation. Not only Germany, but the whole of Europe, is affected by this impossible situation. The French newspapers announce gaily that Germany's ruin is merely financial and has nothing to do with economics; but every British business man knows that the stagnation of industry in the Ruhr Valley and throughout the unoccupied part of Germany is reacting adversely on the commerce of the whole world. The loss of the German markets has had a very serious effect on British trade. If M. Poincaré has his way, the purchasing power of the Reich will disappear altogether. The political aspect of the Ruhr problem has almost ceased to matter. The economic effects of the French policy are proving to be so calamitous that the future ownership of the *rive gauche* and its kindred topics are of little more than academic importance. Europe is confronted with the danger of an economic collapse which nothing but consummate statesmanship can hope to avert. In the light of that fact everything else is insignificant.

The general uncertainty in financial and economic affairs is reflected in the action of the Bank of England, which raised its bank rate on Thursday from three to four *per cent.* The last change in the rate was made almost exactly one year ago, when it was reduced to three *per cent.* During recent weeks borrowing rates have been cheaper in London than in New York, and American business men have been taking advantage of this fact to raise money in England. These transactions, coupled with recent British investments in America, have affected the value of sterling in New York, and the exchange rates have fallen appreciably. The Bank of England, therefore, has decided to safeguard its reserves by the adoption of a higher rate. Nevertheless, there is no doubt that the Ruhr trouble has had some influence on its decision. If Germany should collapse suddenly, British credit would be virtually the only bulwark of civilisation in Europe. The franc would fall immediately, and its fate would be shared by the lira. Only the most careful forethought could save sterling from the general *débâcle*, and the rise in the Bank of England rate is a step in the right direction. The whole fabric of French finance is knit closely together with that of Germany. If one be destroyed, the other inevitably must be involved in its ruin, and it is essential that at least one European nation shall be in a position to stand fast amid the welter that would follow such a crash.

Sir John Moore.

At Shorncliffe Camp, on Thursday, the Duke of Connaught unveiled a statue of Sir John Moore, the hero of Corunna. Not many people, we think, will appreciate the great significance of the site. Sir John Moore is one of the spectacular figures of military history. His retreat to Corunna stood on record, until Lord French's retreat from Mons, as the only successful retreat, on a large scale, that ever had been conducted by a British general. He died in the hour of victory, after an achievement which made the Peninsular War possible and, in Soult's words, prevented Napoleon from "planting his victorious eagles on the ramparts of Lisbon." He inspired two magnificent pieces of literature—Charles Wolfe's Ode and Napier's account of the retreat to Corunna. These things were more than enough for fame, and it is on these things that the whole of Moore's fame rests in the public mind. In the mind of the professional soldier, however, he has a title to immortality that is even more secure. His most abiding work was done not in Spain, but at Shorncliffe. After the American War the British Army had fallen to a low state of efficiency and discipline. Its conditions were still those on which so many vivid side-lights are thrown in the novels of Fielding, Smollett and Sterne. Officers got their commissions by bringing, through family influence or purchase, a certain number of recruits to the Colours. They were often entirely ignorant of their duties and neither felt nor were expected to feel any sense of responsibility for their men's health and comfort. Such discipline as existed was maintained by a stern system of punishment and threats. From his young days Moore—though a brilliant, handsome lad, with all the world of pleasure at his feet—was ascetic in his personal habits and an ardent reformer; and he made his first regiment, the old Fifty-first, a model for the whole Army. His great chance came in 1803 when—as, once more in 1914—England was trying in desperate haste to create armies for a foreign field. Moore, already a distinguished general, formed the training camp at Shorncliffe and introduced a new kind of discipline. He compelled every officer to know his business and to study the wants of his men. He formed new links between officers and men—the same links which stood the test of the late war—and he developed new methods of training and tactics. The results were the famous Light Brigade, which became afterwards the Light Division under Wellington, and the creation of the "thin red line" that won Waterloo. Officers from the Light Division rose quickly to high commands throughout the Army, and soon the little leaven from Shorncliffe had leavened the whole lump. Moore's ideal was a new spirit that would "replace a mechanical instrument with a living organism," and it is hardly too much to say that his work as a reformer was the ultimate cause of his country's later victories at Ypres and the Hindenburg Line. Modern statues rise so seldom to the level of a lofty theme that M. Rodin's tribute to Mr. Tweed's work at Shorncliffe will be welcomed with pleasure and relief.

"Broadcasting."

The benefit to the human race of the system of "broadcasting" aural entertainment is a matter upon which opinions may differ. There can be no two opinions, however, as to the value of wireless telephony generally. Not so long ago a mother in Scotland was enabled to reach the bedside of a dying son in London by the aid of a "broadcasted" message. Within the last few days a man holiday-making on the Thames in a launch fitted with "listening-in" apparatus was summoned in like fashion to a hospital to which his daughter had been taken. In countless other ways, besides that of keeping people amused in the evening, wireless telephony is justifying its existence. The question why the sale of "listening-in" instruments and the material necessary for their construction is still prohibited in the Free State must now be asked. It was the general belief that the ban on wireless telephony arose, in the first instance, from the fear that the Republican forces might be able to avail themselves of it. That reason no longer exists, but the ban remains. Possibly it is the intention of the Post-master-General to make the sale of such instruments, as well as the granting of licences, a source of much-needed revenue to the Free State. If that is the case, the sooner he lets us into his secret the better. There can be no objection to the raising of revenue from the use of wireless telephony. Furthermore, if it can be shown that the safety of the State still is in issue, no objection can be taken to control and supervision *pro tanto* by the military authorities. The public, however, has a right to complain if the Free State is to be left sitting, without explanation, in outer and unprogressive darkness while the rest of the world whizzes by on the ringing grooves of change.

A Tale of the Sea.

The horse and the dog have been sung in many an epic. Reynard the fox has had his couplet-weaving chroniclers, and in the "Jungle Books" and the stories of Thompson Seton and C. G. D. Roberts the kindred of the wild—bear and bob-cat, seal and snake, elephant and jack-rabbit—have been celebrated in prose. The patient ox never has stirred the poet's imagination or the romancer's pen. Now, however, that story has been written—not in the pages of current literature, but in the prosaic medium of a trading company's annual report. The story of the heifers of the ss. Mossamedes surely will live for many years. The Mossamedes was plying between Cape Town and East African ports, and had on board six pedigree heifers, consigned to the Angola Estates Company. The ship struck some rocks in a fog and was abandoned, and the heifers were left on board. Twenty-six days later the derelict hulk of the Mossamedes was boarded from a small coasting steamer, and there were the heifers, still very much alive. They had chewed patiently through their halter ropes and, making their way below in search of nutriment, had browsed on the grass mattresses with which the cabins were provided. So lively were these heroic ruminants when discovered that two of them had to be destroyed in order that the other four might be rescued. These are now feeding at ease and in the best of health on the Angola Estates Company's pastures. We in Ireland, at any rate, cannot fail to appreciate this brave example of courage and sagacity in an animal that it is so greatly our business to honour.

The Prince of Wales arrived in London last night at 10 o'clock on his return from his Northern tour. He travelled by ordinary train.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Yesterday evening the King returned from Newmarket to London, and next Monday will, with the Queen, leave for Edinburgh, where the Court will be in residence at Holyrood Palace for a week. Their Majesties will hold a reception on Tuesday at the Palace, and on Wednesday there will be a garden party, at which a very large attendance is expected.

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Last evening the Crown Prince of Sweden, accompanied by his two sons, left London for Sweden, travelling *via* the Hook of Holland. They will make no stay in Stockholm, but will go straight to the Prince's summer residence at Soffero, where his daughter and his younger sons have been residing for the past month.

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Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles returned to Chesterfield House yesterday from Newmarket. The Duke of Argyll, who has been cruising on a friend's yacht, has returned to London. The Marquis and Marchioness of Worcester, who spent their honeymoon at Lowther Castle, have arrived at Badminton and Duchess of Beaufort. The Marquis and Marchioness of Hartington have arrived at their London residence from Alnwick Castle. The Countess of Ilchester has returned to Holland House from Newmarket.

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Lady Juliet Trevor and Lady Cayzer were among the London dance hostesses last night, and on the preceding evening Field-Marshal Lord Grenfell gave a ball for his only daughter, the Hon. Madelina Grenfell. Many friends gave dinner parties for the ball, which took place at 1 Carlton Gardens, lent for the occasion by Lady Hudson.

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Lord Pentland, son of the late Captain George Sinclair, celebrates his sixty-third birthday to-day. He has held various Government appointments, including that of Secretary for Scotland, while representing Forfarshire. He was made a Baron in 1909, and three years later was appointed Governor of Madras, retiring in 1919. His marriage with Lady Marjorie Gordon, only daughter of the Marquis of Aberdeen and Temair, took place in 1904, and they have one son and one daughter. The former is the heir to the Barony, who was sixteen last month.

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The Aga Khan is taking a cure at Aix-les-Bains, but is expected to return to London in ten days. The Earl of Moray has returned to Scotland after a short stay in London. Viscount and Viscountess Campden have left London for Exton Park, the residence of the Earl and Countess of Gainsborough.

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Dr. O'Donnell has left town for a few weeks.

Switzer's Summer Sale, this and following days.—Switzer and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

Holmes' Sale—Thursday, Friday, Saturday. Remnant Days. Unprecedented Bargains.—59, 70, 71 South George's street.

Summer Sale now proceeding.—Campbell and Strahan, Ltd., 11 Wicklow street.

Shone's Summer Sale—Sweeping reductions in Frocks, Hats, and Children's Wear.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals.—Mrs. D. McG. Alexander, Mr. J. S. Alexander, Right. Hon. Sir A. Beattie, Mrs. Mercedes Dalton, Mrs. Westropp Roe, Miss Daisy Tucker, Lieutenant-Colonel C. T. Dempster, J. H. A. King, Dr. Eaton, Miss Constance Stronge,

M. POINCARE REPLIES TO THE POPE.

"WE STAND BY THE TREATY OF VERSAILLES."

NO INTERVENTION WANTED.

LORD CURZON'S DISCUSSIONS WITH THREE AMBASSADORS.

The recent letter by the Pope on the subject of the Ruhr occupation was discussed in the French Chamber last night. The Radical Socialist Party demanded the withdrawal of the French Embassy at the Vatican as a protest against the Papal interference. To this M. Poincaré could not agree.

He detailed the conversations that the French Ambassador had had with the Papal authorities, and reiterated the French demands. "We stand by the Treaty of Versailles," he declared. He added that France did not intend to ask the Pope to intervene.

FRANCE AND THE VATICAN

M. POINCARE ON THE POPE'S LETTER.

PARIS, Friday.

The Chamber to-day discussed the demand by the Radical Socialist Party for the withdrawal of the French Embassy accredited to the Vatican in consequence of the Pope's letter of June 26 on the subject of the occupation of the Ruhr.

M. Poincaré, replying, said that the French representative at the Vatican had been instructed to verify immediately upon the receipt of the document a that the occupation of the Ruhr had responded to the almost unanimous desire of France.

Cardinal Gasparri, commenting on the Pope's letter, said that it had been written in Christian language, and in order to promote goodwill among men. In this case, the cardinal added, Germany's capacity to pay, and eventually the evacuation of the occupied region, must be examined.

M. Jonnan had expressed his astonishment, and had asked for an audience of the Pontiff.

The Pope thereupon gave an assurance to M. Jonnart, saying that he had no desire to take part in the present conflict. He had been asked to do so by the Catholics of the world.

M. Jonnart then insisted upon the rights of France, and dwelt upon the untruthfulness of the German propaganda.

The thesis supported by the Holy Father, was doubtless akin to that of certain of France's Allies. The thesis, continued M. Poincaré, was, perhaps, regrettable, but it was his duty to deal with it.

M. Herlot, Radical Socialist member for Lyons, here retorted that the Pope has no right to interfere.

M. Poincaré, disregarding the interruption, said that the Pope did not dispute the legality of the occupation of the Ruhr, but merely dealt with the burdens placed upon Germany by the occupation, and urged that they should be alleviated.

The Pope's letter, M. Poincaré added, had not been received very favourably in France, whilst in Germany it was regarded as an encouragement, but the request of the Papal Nuncio to Berlin for the cessation of criminal acts had not yet been complied with. The Holy See had seen fit to give political advice to France. Advice of that kind could not have any effect. (Loud cheers.)

The Abbé Lemire—It was Christian doctrine.

M. Poincaré—The Pope has no authority in temporal matters. The Pope's letter can have no political effect upon the French Catholics, free to act according to their conscience. It would not be reasonable to withdraw the French Embassy from the Vatican because the Pope had expressed an opinion contrary to our own. We do not demand the withdrawal of our Embassies which are accredited to Powers that are asking us to agree to submit Germany's capacity to pay to a so-called impartial tribunal.

With regard to foreign policy, the French Government is firmly resolved not to consent to any whittling away of our lay policy or of our political independence. (Loud cheers.) Therefore, we have instructed M. Jonnart not to make any request to the Pope with regard to the execution of the Treaty of Versailles, and not to ask His Holiness to intervene in order to put an end to German resistance. There is no power in the world which can deprive us of our rights under the Treaty of Versailles. To-day France appeals to certain countries which have had no part of their territory devastated, and which have not spent or advanced one hundred milliards on account of Germany, to is interfering with financiers, who are anxious to form consortiums.

France owns the Treaty of Versailles. As to Germany's capacity to pay, we only entered the Ruhr after recording the defaults of Germany.

As for the idea of annexations or permanent occupation, it is not ours. We only wish to exercise an effective pressure upon Germany. With regard to the occupation of the Ruhr, it is for Germany to cut it short. The sooner Germany pays the sooner we shall withdraw. I do not despair of seeing these truths realised by our Allies, as clearly as by ourselves. We shall make every effort to render them triumphant.

Finally the Chamber decided, by 388 votes to 190, to proceed with the agenda as decided by M. Poincaré, thus ending the debate.—(Reuter.)

M. KRASSIN REMOVED.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

It is officially announced that M. Krassin has been removed from his position as head of the Russian Trade Delegation in London.

VACANT BISHOPRIC.

VICAR CAPITULAR APPOINTED FOR LIMERICK DIOCESE.

The Right Rev. Monsignor O'Donnell, P.P., V.G., Rathkeale, has been appointed by the Cathedral Chapte Vicar Capitular of the Diocese of Limerick, pending the appointment of a successor to the late Most Rev. Dr. Hallinan.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S SYMPATHY.

Amongst many messages of condolences received was the following from His Excellency the Governor-General:—"Viceregal Lodge, Dublin.—Deeply grieved to learn on my return to-day of the death of my dear friend, your beloved Bishop. Had I known in time, I should have paid him the last tribute of respect and homage.

The directors of the National Bank and the Committee of Limerick Protestant Young Men's Association send messages of sympathy.

The monthly meeting of Limerick Corporation on Thursday was adjourned as a mark of respect to the memory of the late prelate, and the Limerick District Sessions also adjourned as a mark of respect.

TO-MORROW'S MEETINGS.

The following meetings have been arranged for to-morrow:—

GOREY (Co. WEXFORD).

Speakers—Mr. O. Kinsella, Mr. S. Milroy, Mr. L. Sears.

CORK.

Speakers—Presides Cosgrave, Dr. MacNeill, Mr. E. Blythe, Mr. J. J. Walsh.

CLONMEL.

Speakers—Mr. K. Higgins, Mr. F. Lynch, Dr. White.

LONDON CONVERSATIONS

LORD CURZON'S VISITORS AT THE FOREIGN OFFICE.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Friday.

There was no official news of any change in the international situation to-day. The Italian, Belgian and French Ambassadors all have visited Lord Curzon at the Foreign Office during the afternoon, but the strictest secrecy is still observed concerning these interviews.

Some surprise was felt at the early reappearance of the French Ambassador. If he had with him the written answer, about which there is so much conjecture, it is thought that it can have been nothing more than the notes corresponding with the previous discussions, and will not have contributed much to the solution of the difficulty.

There is a certain tendency in the French Press to shift the accusation of indefiniteness on to the British Government. "Tell us," they say, "what you are actually going to demand in the way of reparations." The answer is to be found in the January offer, which was immediately rejected by M. Poincaré.

Mr. Baldwin's statement in the House of Commons on Wednesday night, on the offer which was made in January, and which was not accepted, has left our hands perfectly free to deal with these matters as we may deem best, though significant, should not be taken to imply that our offer is now absolutely withdrawn.

It is, however, clear that subsequent events may have, in any case, necessitated some modification in its details.

The Italian Ambassador's conversation with Lord Curzon was prolonged and extremely cordial. Italy is extremely anxious to cooperate with England in every possible way—not that she feels any tendencies towards Germany; on the contrary, she desires to make Germany pay to the utmost of her ability. But Italy realises that the present situation is fatal to the cause of European reconstruction, which is the common cause of the world.

This does not imply any hostility towards France, but it is no secret that, in so far as there are divergencies, Italy is much more inclined to the British view than to the French.

BELGIUM'S POLICY.

"CANNOT FOLLOW FRANCE INDEFINITELY."

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BRUSSELS, Friday.

An article which has appeared in the *Libre Belgique*, criticising Belgium's policy in the Ruhr, and openly declaring that Belgium could not follow France indefinitely at the risk of finding herself ostracised by the rest of Europe, has created a sensation in political circles here.

In some quarters it has been suggested that M. Jaspar, the Foreign Secretary, inspired the article, but this is denied in official circles, where it is asserted that Belgium's policy remains unchanged.

"TWO MORE DAYS."

CRYPTIC MESSAGES FROM AEROPLANES.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

COLOGNE, Friday.

There has been some unrest in Essen. Since Thursday French aeroplanes have been dropping leaflets on the town. Yesterday these bore the cryptic phrase, "Another Three Days." To-day similar leaflets were dropped, but the wording had been altered to "Two More Days."

It is thought that the French object is to increase the feeling of uneasiness, which is now apparent among all classes of the population.

French troops are still in the occupation of Krupps coal depôt at Wegerich, and arrangements are being made to transport the 60,000 tons of coal in the depôt.

The loss of this supply will seriously affect the working of Krupps' foundries, and a stoppage is almost inevitable.

A French soldier killed one man, and seriously injured another at Essen last night, during an attempt to cut telegraph wires.

STEAMER CAPSIZES.

CREW'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Lloyd's Penzance agent reports that the Newcastle steamer, River Tees, capsized and foundered fifteen miles south of the Wolf Rock yesterday morning. The captain and crew landed safely at Penzance.

The River Tees was on her way to Aberdeen loaded with pitwood from Newport. Part of the cargo was on deck, and she took a dangerous list when fifty miles off the Wolf. The deck cargo was jettisoned, but the steamer's position became hopeless, and the boats were ordered out.

No sooner had the crew taken to the boats than the vessel sank. One of the boats became so leaky that the men in it were transferred to the captain's boat. A motor fishing boat rescued the crew and brought them into Penzance.

OBITUARY.

MR. A. E. SPENDER.

Mr. A. Edmund Spender, the editor of the *Shrewsbury Chronicle*, died in a Shrewsbury nursing home yesterday, following an operation for appendicitis. He was formerly on the editorial staff of the *Western Morning News*, the Plymouth newspaper founded by his father, and was at one time Mayor of Plymouth. He was a cousin of Mr. Harold Spender and Mr. J. A. Spender.

DR. DONALD MURRAY.

Dr. Donald Murray, the Independent Liberal member for the Western Isle Division of Inverness and Ross and Cromarty in the last Parliament, died yesterday in a London nursing home.

MR. PITT CHATHAM.

Mr. Pitt Chatham, the well-known actor and singer, died in the Adelphi Theatre on Thursday evening, after a very brief illness. He had flourished for a year; and the Adelphi was opened on Monday, and played there to-day. Mr. Chatham knots the letter "Polly," part of Mr. Bill in the time of the Adelphi Theatre, now running at the Knot, it was said by the previous [illegible] was a physical argument with the [illegible] J. [illegible]

TENEMENT HOUSE ON FIRE.

WOMEN JUMP FROM BALCONY.

EXCITING SCENES IN DUBLIN.

Nine families were trapped in a tenement house at 20 Meath street, Dublin, last night, and were rescued with difficulty.

The fire broke out in the drapery establishment of Michael Kearney and Co., on the ground fire, which was completely destroyed.

In order to escape from the flames two women jumped from the balcony on the second floor to the backyard, 20 feet below. One of them—Margaret Phibbs, aged 45—was injured seriously; while the other, Christina French, aged 19, fractured her ankle.

Firemen were assisted by a number of soldiers and civilians in rescuing the occupants of the house—mostly women and children—while the fire was raging. The rescuers had to pass through a curtain of flame in the ground floor passage; and when carrying a woman out of the building Fireman C. McDonagh, of the Thomas street section, was burned severely about both hands.

It was shortly after eight o'clock when a boy named John Murphy, of 147 James's street, saw smoke issuing from Mr. Kearney's drapery shop. He gave an alarm, and immediately a crowd gathered, and several soldiers and civilians ran towards the building.

Three men broke open the door which led from the shop to the hall, and immediately flames burst through, and, driving them back, blocked the entrance for a short time.

The entrapped women and children were screaming and shouting with fright when the Thomas street section of the Fire Brigade arrived. Some of them had tried to escape, but, finding the bottom passage well-nigh impassable, had turned back and gone out on to the balconies which are on each floor.

The drapery shop was well alight when the firemen set to work. While some members of the Brigade were battling with the flames, others were busy in the rescue of the occupants, followed by some soldiers, including Sergeant C. Murphy and Private J. Healy.

Attracted by a shout on the second floor, several spectators ran through flames and smoke into the backyard. They were just in time to break the fall of the girl French, who had jumped for safety.

Mrs. Phibbs, when jumped. As she fell past the first floor her legs touched the balcony, and were injured.

The fire, the cause of which is unknown, was not completely subdued an hour after the arrival of a second section of the Fire Brigade from Tara street. The damage is covered by insurance.

FINANCES OF FREE STATE.

DEFICIT NEED CAUSE NO UNEASINESS.

PROBLEM OF LOANS.

The "Monthly Review," in which the staff of the London Joint City and Midland Bank, Ltd., discuss financial and trade problems, contains an interesting article on the finances of the Irish Free State.

Regarding the Budget estimate for the current year (revenue £26,026,000, expenditure £46,005,000, deficit £19,909,000) it points out that "the army and compensation claims are expected to account for one-third of the total estimated expenditure in respect of supply services. No provision has been made for supplementary estimates, nor for the unsettled claims in respect of the British National Debt. When the Budget was introduced it was hoped to avoid a deficiency of more than 20 millions, but it now transpires that compensation claims for property losses may prove greater than anticipated, while the land purchase scheme will add still further to the Government's commitments.

"The prospective revenue is lower this year than last, owing to the loss which results from the establishment of the Free State as an independent and separate fiscal entity. The estimated receipts from excise duty, for example, at 8 millions are just one-half the amount collected in the previous year, so that beer and other dutiable commodities exported to Great Britain will cease to pay excise duty in Southern Ireland, but will instead be liable to customs duty in Great Britain. On the other hand, customs revenue will bring in an appreciably larger figure.

"The total tax revenue for the year is estimated at 30½ millions, against 23 millions last year, so that with 5½ millions of non-tax revenue there will be a total income of 25 millions to set against an expenditure of at least 46 millions.

DEFICIT AND LOAN PROSPECTS.

"The anticipated deficit, roughly equal to a year's tax revenue, is no doubt serious, but it should not give rise to uneasiness or lack of confidence in the stability of Irish finance. It has been occasioned largely, almost entirely, by the activities of a section of the community in a troubled period, and if the Government continues to enjoy the supports of the great bulk of the population the provision of the means necessary to meet compensation claims and maintain settled conditions may in itself have beneficial consequences.

"At the moment the question of an Irish loan is very much in the foreground. The markets, in which such an issue might be offered, are New York, London, and Dublin. The first may be ruled out, for the time being at any rate, as New York shows signs of satiation in the matter of foreign loans. It is true that since the war the number and amount of foreign issues placed in New York have been much larger than formerly, but quite recently the overtures of a first-class borrower met with scant response in that market for the all-sufficient reason that many issues still remain undigested. The American public are slow to appreciate the advantages of foreign investment, and, except by the many Irish sympathisers in the States, it seems improbable that an Irish loan would be easily assimilated.

"London, the alternative foreign centre, offers greater prospects of a successful absorption, more particularly if the loan should carry the endorsement of the British Government. Undoubtedly the financial prosperity of Southern Ireland is a matter of first importance to Great Britain, but it is a moot point whether Ireland should appeal to this country for financial assistance at this juncture. Seemingly her prestige and credit would be enhanced to a greater degree if her first public borrowing operation were successfully conducted in her own borders.

"An appeal to the British investor in any event will become necessary before the Free State Government is in a position to settle outstanding and prospective obligations, commonly assessed at between 40 and 50 millions, and can begin to function normally. But there can be little room for doubt that this country and the world at large will be greatly influenced by full local support to a purely Irish loan.

CHURCH ON FIRE.

ENNISKILLEN'S CHIME OF BELLS ENDANGERED.

An outbreak of fire at Enniskillen Parish Church yesterday morning was fortunately checked before it had time to develop into serious proportions. A number of beams in the building will have to be replaced as a result of the blaze.

Workmen have been for some time engaged in making alterations in the interior of the building to adapt it for its new purpose as Diocesan Cathedral, and it is believed the fire started in a heap of rubbish left by the workmen in the porch.

The chief anxiety of the parishioners is lest the valuable chime of bells, of which they are justifiably proud, may have been injuriously affected by the intense heat, as when the fire was at its height some of the bells were actually red-hot.

RECORD ART SALE.

£205,741 PAID FOR SIR J. B. ROBINSON'S COLLECTION.

£19,950 FOR A FRANZ HALS.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Friday.

One of the biggest picture sales ever held took place at Christie's auction rooms, London, yesterday afternoon, when the collection of old masters formed by Sir J. B. Robinson was put up for auction. The sensation of the afternoon was the sale of Franz Hal's portrait of "A Gentleman," which opened at a bid of £5,000, and was sold for £19,950. This picture was last sold in 1885, when the price was £1,000. The room was packed to the door with prospective purchasers and art and society folk, attracted by the novelty of such an auction.

Scores of people who arrived late were unable to obtain admission.

Mr. Lance Hanner, the auctioneer, said that the sale would be a long one. There were 116 lots, and he asked for speedy bidding. He was not disappointed, as eleven Gainsboroughs were disposed of in less than 25 minutes.

Gainsborough's "Mrs. Drummond" fetched £10,500, as against £7,035 at Lord Revelstoke's sale in 1895. Prices realised by other Gainsboroughs were:—"Mr. and Mrs. De Laney," £3,200; "Admiral Lord Thomas Graves" £1,500; "A Page," £7,500; "General Bligh," £5,100; "Miss Katherine Edgar," £1,050; "The Wood Gatherers," £1,260; "A Landscape in Suffolk," £682; "Sudbury," £787; "A Hilly Landscape, £630.

Sir T. Lawrence's "A Boy with a Dog" was knocked down at £4,305, and his portrait of "A Lady" at £8,925.

Sir J. Reynolds' portrait of "Mrs. Mathew" was sold for £8,400. In 1894, when the late Duchess of Montrose's collection was sold, this picture was knocked down for £4,629. In 1821 it made only £40.

Among other prices fetched were:—Beechey's "Frederica Charlotte Catherine, Duchess of York," £1,575; and Constable's "Embarkation of George IV.," £2,415.

Reynolds' "Miss Harriet Whitbread" went at £5,040; his "Charles Manners, fourth Duke of Rutland," for £4,305; and his "Clarissa Harlow" for £1,050.

Romney's "Mrs. Chitty Marshall" fetched £3,150, and Turner's "Falls of the Clyde" £2,500.

In the Spanish school, £1,100 was accepted for Murillo's "San Francisco de Paula," and £2,100 for Velasquez's "Two Princesses."

Fra Angelico's "Day of Judgment" was knocked down at £3,360. Piero di Cosimo's "Story of Jason" and "Jason and Medea" went together for £6,540. Ghirlandaio's "Nativity of St. John the Baptist" and "St. John the Baptist Preaching" went at £2,625.

In the Dutch and Flemish schools, Van Der Cappelle's "Sea Piece" was knocked down at £4,200. Four panels by Boucher fetched £6,300.

The total amount realised at the sale was £205,741, a record for the house of Christie.

GALLANTRY IN THE ANTARCTIC.

SHACKLETON'S COMRADES' COURAGE RECOGNISED.

ALBERT MEDALS.

Last night's *London Gazette* contains the following:—The King has been pleased to award the Albert Medal in recognition of the gallant conduct of Mr. Ernest Edward Mills Joyce, ex-Petty Officer, R.N.; Mr. William Rayment Richards, Mr. Victor George Hayward, deceased, and Petty Officer Harry Ernest Wild, R.N., deceased, in saving, and endeavouring to save, life while serving as members of the Ross Sea party of the Shackleton Transantarctic Expedition of 1914-17.

The expedition had for its object the crossing of the Antarctic Continent from the Weddell Sea to the Ross Sea *via* the South Pole, a distance of about 1,700 miles. Sufficient supplies for the journey could not be carried, and it was therefore necessary to establish a chain of depôts on the Ross Sea side as far southwards as possible.

With this end in view, the ship Aurora was sent to McMurdo Sound, at the southern extremity of the Ross Sea, and as it was intended that the vessel should winter there, a portion only of the stores and equipment was disembarked.

McMurdo Sound was reached in January, 1915, but during a blizzard in May the Aurora was blown out to sea, and was unable to return, and the nine members of the expedition who were on shore were left stranded.

They recognised that failure to establish the depôts would undoubtedly result in the loss of the main body, and resolved, in spite of their grave shortage of equipment, to carry out the allotted programme.

Mr. Joyce, who was blizzard in May, and Mr. Richards, who travelled again from Aurora to the Royal Show at Newcastle, had a trying journey in the broiling sun, stopping here and there at the towns and villages.

SEVERAL DEATHS.

Several deaths from the heat are reported. At Luton, Rose Edith Cook, wife of a tram conductor, collapsed from the heat as she got off a car with her child. She died almost at once.

Overcome by the heat, George Knight fell from a hay waggon and died near Bordon, Hants, and at the inquiry to-day a verdict of "death from heart failure due to the heat" was returned.

In order to get cool the people of Glasgow crowded into the public parks and took their food with them. It was 81 degrees in the shade.

90 DEGREES!

The Press Association says that the highest temperature recorded was 90 degrees in the shade at Raunds, Andover, and South Farnborough.

90 DEGREES IN PARIS.

WARM WEATHER FASHIONS ON THE BOULEVARDS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Friday.

Ninety degrees—and the French weather experts promise that it will be hotter to-morrow!

It is explained that the heat wave does not come from America, but from the coast of Africa.

Boulevard fashions for the heat are simple and charming. Sleeves have disappeared. Hats are large and wide-brimmed. The flowing cloak in the same material as the dress, and generally in the same colour, is popular. Thousands of Parisiennes are making their plans to escape to the sea. Meanwhile thousands of Americans continue to pour into Paris every day.

IRISH REPUBLICAN ENVOYS IN AUSTRALIA.

SYDNEY, Friday.

The Irish Republican envoys, Mr. O'Kelly and Father O'Flanagan, who are in custody pending deportation, have refused to accept their release on the condition that they sign a guarantee for a hundred pounds not to address public meetings, and to leave the Commonwealth by July 26. It is reported that the United States Government has refused to accept the Irishmen as deportees.—(Reuter.)

LATE MR. CATHAL BRUGHA.

A Mass for the repose of the soul of Mr. Cathal Brugha will be offered in Whitefriar street Church, Dublin, to-morrow, at 11. After the Service there will be a procession to the grave in Glasnevin Cemetery.

Two more of the passengers injured in the railway accident near Drammen, Sweden, on Thursday, have died, says as Christiania telegram.

A Malta telegram says that the Minister of Public Instruction has resigned, owing, it is understood, to differences with his colleagues in regard to the Language Bill.

TRAIN DERAILED IN NEW ZEALAND.

15 KILLED AND 38 INJURED.

WELLINGTON, Friday.

An express train from Auckland to Wellington ran off the rails near Taumarimui, with the result that fifteen persons were killed, and thirty-eight injured. There have been many landslides of the line recently, owing to heavy rains.

The accident happened to a down train, which was travelling at express speed. Three carriages were telescoped, and the engine was virtually buried in the *débris*. A sharp curve prevented the driver of the express from seeing an obstruction on the line.—(Reuter.)

RECENT WILLS.

Mr. Charles Cecil Beresford Whyte, J.P., D.L., of Hatley Manor, Carrick-on-Shannon, Co. Leitrim, who died at Newton Manor, Sligo, on March 25, aged 77 years, left unsettled personal estate in the United Kingdom valued at £3,454, of which £2,375 is in Ireland. The testator left his property to his wife absolutely.

Mrs. Annie Crawford, of Orissa, 58 Marlborough Park, Belfast, who died as the result of injuries received in a motor car accident, daughter-in-law of the late Sir William Crawford, Chairman of the York Street Flax Spinning Co., Belfast, left unsettled personal property in England and Northern Ireland valued at £732.

The King of the Belgians has signed a Royal Decree making Kinshasa the capital of the Congo, in the place of Boma, and changing the name of the former city to Leopoldville.

SUMMER AT LAST.

HEAT WAVE IN ENGLAND.

90° IN THE SHADE.

DUBLIN 12° COOLER THAN LONDON.

July came into its own yesterday all over the British Isles. The anti-cyclone which meteorologists have assured us for some time has been manœuvring round the coasts in hitherto vain endeavours, to supplant successive chilly cyclones won the day.

A misty dawn gave place to a deep blue sky, from which a brilliant sun shone throughout the day. In parts of England the shade temperature rose to 90, and many stations reported over twelve hours' sunshine.

In Dublin at one o'clock yesterday afternoon the shade temperature was 76. In the city streets it was sweltering, but in the suburbs and coast townships the heat was made bearable by a light North-easterly breeze.

To-day's official forecast is that the seasonable conditions will continue, but that there may be local thunderstorms. At three o'clock this morning it was oppressively warm in the city, and from time to time a few heavy drops fell from a stationary bank of clouds.

88 IN THE SHADE.

CURIOUS HEAT WAVE INCIDENTS.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Friday.

The sudden wave of midsummer heat has spread all over the country, and there are no immediate signs of a breakdown. The large Continental anti-cyclone, says the Air Ministry, will maintain fine warm weather over the British Isles for a day or so.

The heat to-day was a record for this curious summer. In some districts, including London, the thermometer in the hottest parts of the day soared to 88 degrees in the shade. Three days ago the mercury was struggling to get beyond the 60 mark.

Skegness had nearly 12 hours sunshine, Ilfracombe 11½ hours, and Harrogate, Blackpool, Southport, Douglas, and Buxton all had 11 hours sunshine.

There was no rain. The highest temperature was that of Southport with 86 deg., Blackpool coming next with 85 deg., and Morecambe with 84 deg. Other towns had not so much, and Scarborough was at the end of the list with only 65 deg.

PILOTS TAKE OFF THEIR COATS.

The air to-day—or what is called "baking hot," and the heat extended upwards through the atmosphere to a height of several thousand feet. It was so hot at 5,000 feet up that the pilots on the Manchester to London aeroplanes had to take off their coats, and they were flying through the air at 100 miles an hour.

COUNCIL MEETING ON THE BEACH.

There was a novel scene at Barmouth, for it was found to be too hot to hold the usual meeting of the District Council indoors, the members decided to hold the meeting out of doors, and chose the foreshore, where a large crowd of wondering visitors gathered round to watch the councillors transact their business.

It was the hottest day in Cheshire for years, and the farmers were beginning to grumble that the root crops are being ruined for lack of water, and the strawberries are disappearing in the intense heat. It was so hot that the haymakers had to down forks and sit in the shade.

The heat is reported to have been particularly oppressive on the Yorkshire wolds, where the farmers are getting in the harvest of meadow and clover hay.

HAY TAKES FLIGHT.

Haymakers at Burton-on-Trent were astonished to see a couple of big haycocks become suddenly uprooted and whirled into the air in a spiral fashion. The phenomenon was due to a sudden whirlwind which broke on the field of hay. The cocks curiously lost being practically limited to the hay field. Hay was whipped into the air to a height of 100 feet. It descended on some tennis players half a mile away.

The great heat is keenly felt among the workers in the furnaces and tinplate works in South Wales. The output at Swansea yesterday was percentibly affected.

The Prince of Wales, who travelled again from Alnwick to the Royal Show at Newcastle, had a trying journey in the broiling sun, stopping here and there at the towns and villages.

SEVERAL DEATHS.

Several deaths from the heat are reported. At Luton, Rose Edith Cook, wife of a tram conductor, collapsed from the heat as she got off a car with her child. She died almost at once.

Overcome by the heat, George Knight fell from a hay waggon and died near Bordon, Hants, and at the inquiry to-day a verdict of "death from heart failure due to the heat" was returned.

In order to get cool the people of Glasgow crowded into the public parks and took their food with them. It was 81 degrees in the shade.

90 DEGREES!

The Press Association says that the highest temperature recorded was 90 degrees in the shade at Raunds, Andover, and South Farnborough.

90 DEGREES IN PARIS.

WARM WEATHER FASHIONS ON THE BOULEVARDS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Friday.

Ninety degrees—and the French weather experts promise that it will be hotter to-morrow!

It is explained that the heat wave does not come from America, but from the coast of Africa.

Boulevard fashions for the heat are simple and charming. Sleeves have disappeared. Hats are large and wide-brimmed. The flowing cloak in the same material as the dress, and generally in the same colour, is popular. Thousands of Parisiennes are making their plans to escape to the sea. Meanwhile thousands of Americans continue to pour into Paris every day.

IRISH REPUBLICAN ENVOYS IN AUSTRALIA.

SYDNEY, Friday.

The Irish Republican envoys, Mr. O'Kelly and Father O'Flanagan, who are in custody pending deportation, have refused to accept their release on the condition that they sign a guarantee for a hundred pounds not to address public meetings, and to leave the Commonwealth by July 26. It is reported that the United States Government has refused to accept the Irishmen as deportees.—(Reuter.)

LATE MR. CATHAL BRUGHA.

A Mass for the repose of the soul of Mr. Cathal Brugha will be offered in Whitefriar street Church, Dublin, to-morrow, at 11. After the Service there will be a procession to the grave in Glasnevin Cemetery.

Two more of the passengers injured in the railway accident near Drammen, Sweden, on Thursday, have died, says as Christiania telegram.

A Malta telegram says that the Minister of Public Instruction has resigned, owing, it is understood, to differences with his colleagues in regard to the Language Bill.

MLLE. LENGLEN WINS.

TOO GOOD FOR ENGLISH OPPONENT.

TO-DAY'S FINAL.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Friday.

The games to-day at Wimbledon provided plenty of interest for the huge crowds.

Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen, the incomparable French player, had a splendid reception when she went into court to defend her title against her challenger, Miss K. McKane, who failed to produce her best form against her indomitable rival, who had beaten her soundly on each occasion of their previous meetings.

Whether her best tennis would have been of any avail is just conjecture, but the fact remains that the French woman won, as usual, conclusively and decisively in two straight sets, in which the English woman won but four games all told. Miss McKane may have been over-impressed by the importance of the occasion. She was, to put it in a word, disappointing. She was continually hitting out, and made many mistakes. It was almost from the outset Suzanne's match. There was never any doubt of it after the first set, and she was most cordially congratulated on her triumph in winning the championship for the fifth year in succession.

In the men's doubles semi-final, our Davis Cup pair, R. Lycett and L. A. Godfree, proved too good for L. S. Deane and A. H. Fyzee, winning at 8-6, 6-4, 6-3.

Some of the rallies were very good.

One of the most pleasing features of the meeting has been the success which has attended Miss E. Colyer and Miss Austin in the women's doubles. Here are two young English girls who believe in attack and the taking of risks, and their success has fully justified their style of play.

In the semi-final they beat Mrs. Youle and Miss Ross 8-6, 6-4, and also game produced some delightful lawn tennis. Mrs. Youle, who is a daughter F. R. Spofforth, the famous Australian bowler, played very well with her partner, but Miss Colyer, with her fleetness of foot shown by their young rivals.

In the other semi-final Mlle. Lenglen and Miss Ryan beat Mrs. Lambert Chambers and Miss McKane, 6-1, 6-2. Mlle. Lenglen being the dominating figure of the match.

The mixed doubles semi-final between L. S. Deane, paired with Mrs. Shepheard Barron and Vincent Richards and Mrs. Mallory, resulted in a surprise, the American being beaten at 5-3, 6-3, 6-4. It was a fine victory for the English, and much to the liking of the crowd.

The final in the men's singles to-morrow will be an all-American affair. I think we shall see some spectacular lawn tennis, for F. T. Hunter will not go down without a great struggle, but I cannot see him beating Johnston, who has far more strokes than his fellow-countryman. Both men are fine drivers, but Johnston is the more accomplished volleyer, and he is also more deadly in his all-court game.

TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

THE RUHR DEADLOCK.

EXPLANATIONS BY FRANCE.

"THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY SAYS:—

Conversations on the reparations question were resumed yesterday evening between Lord Curzon and the French and Belgian Ambassadors. They were preceded by a long and cordial interview between the Foreign Secretary and the Italian Ambassador, who again visited the Foreign Office for the purpose of a full exchange of views on the same question. Briefly, Italy has not departed from her attitude as explained in the London Memorandum—namely, the coupling of the problem of reparations with that of inter-Allied debts, a sufficient moratorium for Germany, the establishment of a definite and reasonable plan of payments, reliable guarantees of a definite economic nature, and the subsequent renunciation by France of the territories occupied in the Ruhr. On the question of passive resistance, the Italian Government thinks that Germany has not interest in prolonging it, because she can neither expect France to tire or help to come to her from outside sources.

The French Ambassador was the last of the three Ambassadors to see Lord Curzon yesterday. Again the usual official secrecy is put upon the interview. It is known, however, that the Comte de Saint Aulaire left no written document behind him. It would, therefore, seem that the desire of the British Government to be informed more in detail on their *questionnaire* has not been complied with. At the same time, it is asserted on good authority that the French Ambassador was prepared during the interview to inform Lord Curzon fully and frankly of the views of the French Government on such points as the British Government desires to be informed upon, and one gathers that the Foreign Secretary, if he was not given a note in writing, could, if he pleased, himself reduce to writing during the interview all the points which up till then remained ambiguous. The crux of the whole difficulty seems still as to the question of passive resistance. It would seem that until passive resistance is abandoned by the Germans the deadlock remains.

WELSH COAL FOR U.S.

FEARED DECLINE IN AMERICAN MINING.

The Times New York Correspondent telegraphed yesterday:—Boston has just purchased 2,000 tons of Welsh anthracite for the city schools at a price said to be 34c. to 40c. (1s. 6d. to 1s. 9d.) lower than that of any Pennsylvanian anthracite available. Boston dealers are buying substantial quantities of Welsh coal, and more cargoes are reported in transit yesterday. The Special Investigating Committee of the Massachusetts Legislature reported that present indications were that a decline in, if not an actual stoppage of, coal-mining operations in Pennsylvania would occur after August 31, when the miners' wage agreement expires.

THE ART O'BRIEN APPEAL.

HOUSE OF LORDS' JUDGMENT.

The Times announces that the House of Lords will give its reasoned judgment in the Art O'Brien appeal case on Monday.

GOREY HOSPITAL.

DOCTOR CONTRADICTS GENERAL MULCAHY.

Dr. J. Dwyer, medical officer of Gorey District Hospital, writes to say that certain statements made by General Mulcahy in the Dail on the 4th inst., when the occupation of the hospital by the military was discussed, were incorrect. General Mulcahy said that there were three or four patients attended by three or four sisters.

"The following are the facts," says Dr. Dwyer:—

"One daily average of occupied beds is twenty. At present there are twenty-two patients in the hospital. Of this number there are three operation cases, done in the hospital. The staff consists of three sisters. This staff has to do day and night duty. One of the sisters has to do all the clerical work, which is considerable, as well as her ordinary ward duty.

"The statement in the Dail was most unfair to the sisters in charge, as they have made the hospital a distinct success, and the hospital has been sanctioned under the new amalgamation scheme.

"I know it is the opinion of the people of the district that the hospital is much more a necessity for the sick poor than a convalescence for the military."

STILL TALKING AT LAUSANNE.

EFFORT TO SPEED UP A SETTLEMENT.

DELAYS DUE TO RUHR PREOCCUPATION.

LAUSANNE, Friday.

With reference to the present position of the Lausanne negotiations, the Press Association's Correspondent is able to state that the Allied Governments who have been closely posted with developments at Lausanne are speeding up a settlement.

Lord Crewe is having another conversation in Paris to-day with M. Poincaré on the subject of the debt problem, which has now assumed a political aspect, and a solution of which cannot now be any longer delayed. A statement in the Paris *Temps*, however, that Lord Crewe has presented a formula in regard to debt is incorrect. Allied circles at Lausanne deny that there is any connection between the Lausanne deadlock and the Ruhr question, beyond the fact that the latter is preoccupying the heads of the Governments more than the situation at Lausanne.

As regards the decision of the Turks to reduce their delegation, which is larger than the other delegations, if this measure is intended in the nature of pressure, it leaves the Allied delegations indifferent. It may be mentioned that the British are reducing their number by the departure to-night of Mr. Waley, one of the financial experts, who has completed his services at Lausanne, and is required at the Treasury.

M. Venizelos is meeting Ismet Pasha to-day, with a view to settlement of a number of minor points outstanding between Greece and Turkey, upon which an agreement has already been reached between the Allies and Turkey, which will be embodied in a letter to be addressed to the Secretariat-General of the Conference.

Peace now depends on the settlement of the debt question.

IRISH INDUSTRIES.

QUESTION OF GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS.

In the annual report of the Dublin Industrial Development Association (Incorporated), which will be presented at the ordinary general meeting in Dublin on Tuesday next, special reference is made to the value of fiscal freedom in the Free State, and also to the matter of Government contracts.

The report states that, since the date of the Treaty, which brought with it fiscal freedom for the Free State, Irish industry has shown no signs of an early recuperation. The importation of foreign goods in competition with articles of Irish manufacture is found to be detrimental, many industries which were active in the period immediately preceding the Treaty are now closed down.

"Many manufacturers hold very strongly that the only way in which Irish trade can hold its own is by a well-thought-out system of protection, which will stimulate and assist young industries to grow into strong and vigorous life. Others hold that any Government interference with industry and commerce is bound to be detrimental, no matter how well intentioned. While there is general agreement that no ill-considered and precipitate legislative or administrative action should be taken, it is essential that each trade should have a clear understanding of its own requirements, and thus be in a position to speak with an authoritative voice when applied to, as it must be, for advice as to the needs of industry in this country.

With regard to Government contracts, the report says that grave reason for complaint on the part of Irish manufacturers still exists. If the responsible authorities would only exercise ordinary business foresight, there would be no difficulty in having the great bulk of all orders executed in Ireland at a price which would favourably compare with that paid by the Government for imported goods.

"Many orders of considerable value have been placed abroad without any Irish firm being asked to quote, and in many cases deliveries from foreign firms have been far less satisfactory than they would have been if orders had been executed in Ire

THE LAND BILL DEBATE.

FARMS BOUGHT BY CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES IN 1920.

NEW SECTIONS ADOPTED.

At yesterday's meeting the Dail made further progress with the Land Bill. The alliance between the Farmers' Party and the Labour Party, which was a feature of the previous day's proceedings, was no longer in evidence. Indeed, the farmers' representatives were among the most vigorous critics of some of the amendments that were put forward by the Labour Party.

New sections were adopted to meet the peculiar conditions in which certain farms were bought by co-operative farming societies during 1920 and 1921 with money advanced by the National Land Bank.

THE DAIL.

HOWTH ABBEY.

Mr. ... CONSERVATION OF "THE ...ONDAY COLLEGE."

... Dail yesterday, Mr. E. H. Alton ... University) asked the President ... the Government were taking any ... to prevent the erection of a shop in the ...ent building known as "The College," ... which forms a portion of the Abbey at ...lowth, and whether, in view of the fact that the building was probably the only example of such structures left in Ireland, the Government would endeavour to protect it and secure it for the nation.

Mr. Fionan Lynch, replying for the President, said that the Abbey was under the guardianship of the Board of Works as a monument, but "the ancient building known as 'The College,' which formed part of the Abbey, was not included in the premises ...sted in the Board. If the deputy gave ... further information on which he based ... theory as to the historic interest of the ...ding, he would be considered with a view ... protecting and securing it for the nation.

Mr. Alton said that he would produce such evidence.

RAILWAY REPAIRS.

Mr. Lynch, answering Mr. Michael Hennessy, for the Minister of Industry and Commerce, said that on the Dungarvan-Waterford railway branch the main repair was that of Ballyrisode viaduct. This work was an especially difficult nature, and had been delayed by an alteration in the method of repair, which was so designed as to keep as much of the work as possible in the masonry. That would necessarily delay the work of repair some months.

On the Mallow-Dungarvan and Fermoy-Mitchelstown branches all damage had been made good, with the exception of the Carrig viaduct and the bridge at Cappoquin. The repair of the Carrig viaduct was due for completion on the 22nd August.

The repair of the Cappoquin bridge, if no interruption to the work was caused by any stoppage at the ports, was due for completion on or about the same date.

ARMY ACCOUNTS.

Answering Mr. Michael Hennessey, Mr. Finian Lynch (for the Minister of Defence) said that a considerable clearance had taken place in the matter of paying outstanding accounts in the Civil area. The number in this area remained unpaid was comparatively small, and consisted principally of accounts whose certification was difficult owing to the particular circumstances in which they were incurred.

A special responsible officer had within the last few days been sent to Cork to report on the immediate steps required to clear up all outstanding accounts in the city and county. He would be glad to receive from the deputy a written statement of any information at his disposal that might help in the matter.

THE LAND BILL.

LABOUR AND COMPULSORY TILLAGE.

The House resumed consideration of amendments to the Land Bill.

Mr. Johnson moved an amendment to Section 25, which refers to subsequent purchase agreements by tenants. His amendment was to add to the sub-section the following:—

"Provided that the Land Commission is satisfied that the tenant is cultivating, and will cultivate, the land as an ordinary farm in accordance with the methods of husbandry, and it is fitting to satisfy the Land Commission within a period of five years from the appointed day, he shall no longer be deemed to have entered into a purchase agreement for the purchase of the holding."

The object of the amendment, Mr. Johnson explained, was to see that the land was properly tilled, and to militate against the grazing system. It was to secure that a reasonable proportion of the land should be brought into cultivation.

Mr. Hogan said that there was an amendment to Section 28, which was in the same sense. He was prepared to accept an amendment on some such lines. There was no real reason for the present amendment in regard to tenants, as it would only apply only in a few cases—2 or 3 per cent., perhaps.

Mr. Johnson said that the amendment might have the effect of bringing sufficient pressure to bear on the 2 or 3 per cent. of cases to induce cultivation. Experience showed that if the farmer was given enough to make his holding economic he would work it economically.

Mr. Gorey, opposing the amendment, said that it was always people who knew nothing about farming who brought on issues like that. The State would do the worst thing it could if it introduced compulsion into agricultural affairs. The amendment was, he held, the thin edge of the wedge for compulsory tillage.

Mr. T. Johnson said that it was always the policy of the landlords to say that they owned the land, and could do what they liked with it. That led to the despopulation of Ireland. The land was held in trust, and the tenant had no right to let it go to ruin or let it for grazing when it would mean the depopulation of the country.

Mr. Gerald FitzGibbon, K.C., said that if this was to be done by the Land Commission the amendment was feasible. If it was to be done by the tenant making a declaration that he would do a certain thing then the amendment was meaningless.

Mr. J. McBride said that every farmer must be as free as any shopkeeper in the City of Dublin. (Hear, hear.)

"A HOLDING."

Mr. Kevin O'Higgins said that there was no absolute property in land. It was spoken of as "a holding." It was not absolute property like a man's watch was. Land had been taken from time to time for railways ... purposes, and the Government had ... that principle in taking land and ... Civic Guard barracks. He ... the amendment was calculated to ...

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MR. A. B. ...

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... be payable by the tenant ... Commission, on the gale day or ... instalment of the said annual ... payable by him, an addi... equivalent to a proportion of the ... per, in respect of the period ... said day and the day on ...

which the next dividends are payable on Land Bonds issued under this Act. The Land Commission shall have for the recovery of such additional sum the same remedies as they have for the recovery of unpaid instalments of purchase annuity."

The House agreed to an amendment by Mr. Burke to allow of advances for purchase of parcels of land to be made to trustees.

Mr. Hennessy, for Mr. de Roiste, moved two amendments to Section 28, to include former tenants in the classes to whom advances might be made for the purchase from the Land Commission of parcels of land.

The Minister said the object of the amendments was secured in a later one by Mr. O'Maille, which he would accept. The section made it obligatory for the Land Commission to deal with all tenants evicted since 1916, but if they would be able to deal with them he would be more than surprised. The amendment he had agreed to would enable the Land Commission, in selecting persons for holdings, to take into account cases of eviction before 1878.

The amendment was accordingly withdrawn, and later Mr. O'Maille moved his amendment, which was accepted.

Mr. Wilson—As there is not sufficient land for both congests and evicted tenants, who will be given preference?

Mr. Hogan said that the Land Commission would, of course, deal with congests first, and there would be sufficient land left to deal with deserving evicted tenants.

ADVANCES.

Some minor amendments having been withdrawn, or in one or two cases accepted without discussion, the House considered two amendments to sub-section 2 of Section 28, which deals with advances for purchase of parcels of land. One of the amendments was put forward by the Labour Party, in the names of Mr. R. Day and Mr. William Davin.

The amendment proposed to substitute for sub-section 2 the following:—"A parcel to be purchased under the provisions of this section shall not be vested in the person to whom the advance is made for a period of five years from the date of the advance, and if within that period such person fails to satisfy the Land Commission that he is using and cultivating his land in accordance with proper methods of husbandry, or if he applies for permission to sell, let, or assign the land, the parcel shall not be vested but shall be repurchased by the Land Commission, and an advance may be made for the purchase of the parcel to some other person upon the like conditions."

An amendment moved by Mr. Gorey (in his own name and the names of Messrs. Wilson and Dineen) to the same sub-section, proposed to add the words:—"And if within a period of five years (during which the holding shall not be vested) from the date of the advance to any such person these requirements be not fulfilled, the Land Commission shall have the power to resume the land and to place another tenant in occupation."

Mr. Gorey explained that he wanted to have a definite term of probation set down. The object of his amendment—to ensure that land would not be ... o men who had no agricultural training.

Mr. Johnson pointed out that there was a danger of the purchaser lapsing into a state of laziness after the term of probation. He thought that there was a case for inspection by the Land Commission for that reason.

Mr. Wilson said that he was not in favour of having a farmer on perpetual probation.

MINISTER'S VIEW.

Mr. Hogan remarked that he was not in favour of inspection being carried out both during and after probation, particularly in the case of a tenant purchaser on the land under conditions that would allow him to get the best out of it. There was very little difference, after all, between the farmers and the Labour Party on the matter.

Mr. Gorey said that he thought that a man would show his worth in five years.

Mr. Hogan suggested as an amendment that an additional one should be put down to Section 2, to the effect that the agreement between the applicant and the Land Commission for the purchase of a parcel of land should in all cases provide that the parcel should not be vested in the applicant, unless the Land Commission were satisfied that it was being worked by him in accordance with the proper methods of husbandry. If they were not so satisfied the Land Commission should have the power to resume the land and place another tenant in occupation.

Both of the original amendments were withdrawn in favour of that suggested by Mr. Hogan, which was put to the House and accepted.

On Section 34, governing the ascertainment of lands to be vested in the Land Commission, Mr. Gorey moved an amendment providing a new sub-section that in case of any holding purchased under a previous Land Act, which is still subject to a superior interest, or other charge existing from before the time of the sale, the redemption price of the charge shall, on application of the registered owner, be determined by the Judicial Commission, and shall be paid off by the issue of such charge of 4½ per cent. Land Bonds, and the amount thereof shall be deemed to be an advance under the Act, and be repayable by means of an annuity to be charged upon the lands, and consolidated with the existing purchase annuity, if any. The contribution of price shall not be payable in respect of any transaction under this section.

Mr. Hogan said that he was in sympathy with the principle of the amendment, and suggested that its object may be met on the report stage.

This clause was agreed to, and the amendment was withdrawn, Sections 34 to 36 being allowed to stand part of the Bill.

MAINTENANCE WORK.

Mr. Gorey moved an amendment to Sub-section 1 of Section 37, which provides that where a watercourse, drain, embankment or other work has been maintained in whole or in part at the expense of the landlord, or, in the case of untenanted land, by the owner, there might, out of the Land Bonds representing the purchase money, be transferred sufficient to yield an income equivalent to the average annual expenditure incurred by the landlord or owner in cleansing or maintenance during a period of ten normal years. The amendment sought to include the foreshore as one of the works dealt with, and to have set aside bonds adequate to place the said works in repair.

Mr. Gorey said that the amendment was meant to meet cases in which the landlords had neglected those works, which in consequence were in a bad condition.

The Minister said that if the amendment was passed the purchase money would in 99 cases out of 100 be eaten up in putting those works in proper repair. It would be for the Land Commission to say what ordinary maintenance work was to be done, but they were not going to carry out the drainage of the Barrow. He would undertake to add words to meet particular cases referred to by Deputies.

The amendment was withdrawn.

Mr. Gorey had down an amendment to Section 38, which deals with sporting rights and fishpries within the meaning of Section 13 of the Act of 1903. Those rights are by the section to vest in the Land Commission. The amendment was:—"Shall in the case of tenanted land vest in the tenant."

The Minister could not accept the amendment in as far as it affected fisheries, which must vest in the Land Commission. The sporting rights of tenanted land would vest with the tenant, and he was prepared to have this made clear in the section on the report stage.

Mr. FitzGibbon said that the amendment would be a serious thing for the fisheries of the country, which could be made of great value to the State. He foresaw how a river could be suited for fishing purposes if tenants on opposite banks exercised the rights the amendment would give them.

The amendment was then withdrawn.

The House next took up the consideration of eight amendments set down by the Minister of Local Government. The amendments proposed to add eight new sections, which, in effect, provide that land purchased by co-operative societies with money advanced by the Land Bank in the years 1920-21 shall now be vested in the Land Commission, the latter to pay the bank in 4½ per cent. Land Bonds.

Mr. Figgis said that in these sections they had the introduction to the Bill of something that had not been in it before. He thought that it would be fairer to whatever they intended to achieve to deal with them all at once.

Mr. Hogan said that the object of the amendments was quite clear. During the years 1920-21 the National Land Bank had financed land purchase to the extent of about £330,000. A number of men had got together and purchased land in fee-simple. The National Land Bank had put up the purchase money, and had compelled the purchasers to form co-operative societies. It was to the co-operative societies that the money was advanced. The case then was that so far as that £330,000 was concerned, the Land Bank held mortgages to that amount on the land.

The trouble was that most of these societies were paying 7 per cent. for the money. That was all right in 1920, but at present it was not an economic proposition.

"We are coming to the help of the societies," explained the Minister, "and advancing the money. In effect we are buying the land from the societies, and are selling it to them and buying off the Land Bank mortgages."

Taking a specific case, the Minister pointed out that the society had the advantage of getting the money at 4½ per cent. instead of paying 7 per cent., as they would otherwise.

Mr. Blythe, Minister of Local Government, then moved the different amendments, which were accepted by the House virtually without discussion. The Minister explained that the total number of acres which had been purchased was 10,730. There was no doubt that the transactions had served a very good purpose in their time, and there was no reason why the purchasers should now be let down.

BALLYHAISE STRIKE.

On the motion for the adjournment, Mr. O'Shannon drew attention to a strike of agricultural labourers at present in existence at the Department of Agriculture's experimental station at Ballyhaise, Co. Cavan. On the direction of the Ministry of Finance, the men got notice about June 17th that their wages would be reduced by 10s. a week in two "cuts" of 5s. each, the first to take place on June 21st, and the men refused to accept it, as it would leave them with 30s for a 54-hour week.

His further complained that no notification of the reduction was given to the men's union, and the Department made no attempt to get in touch with the union to bring about a settlement of the dispute. The union's offer of a conference was not replied to.

Mr. Minister for Agriculture replied that nothing had been done hastily in the matter of the reduction. It had been ascertained that the wages offered were the highest for the same class of work paid in the locality, and accepted by men in the same union. As for the complaint that the union had not been consulted, if the union put its case in writing he would undertake to bring it before the Inter-Departmental Committee.

The House at 4.15 adjourned until 3 o'clock on Monday.

BLACKROCK URBAN DISTRICT.

A REPLY TO CRITICISM.

Mr. John P. McCabe, Chairman of the Blackrock Urban District, writes as follows:—

"In view of the indiscriminating charges of inefficiency and mismanagement levelled against the Blackrock Urban Council by the newly-formed Ratepayers' Association —in the public Press and by propaganda in the districts,—as Chairman of the Council in a position to speak with authority on the matters referred to. The Association fastens upon an advance of 4s. 1d. in the rates this year, and then proceeds to build up charges of inefficiency by discovering certain things already marked out by the Council for gradual improvement, and also by enumerating other proposals which could only have the effect of further increasing the rates.

"Of the 4s. 1d. increase which is so much emphasised, 1s. 10d. must be placed at the door of the County Council for poor rate and malicious injuries, the collection of which, without option—as the Association should know—is laid by law upon the Urban Council. The remaining 2s. 3d. is made up of 1s. 6d. occasioned by taking advantage of the Government free grant of nearly £20,000 for housing, of which sum sixpence in the shilling is only for present year, and the other sixpence disappears concurrently with the recoupment of the Government loan, as embodied in the scheme. This allowed for employment of extra men, and 39 much-needed houses; their rateable valuation will be a new asset for the township, and their proposed sale to occupying owners will provide a monetary nucleus for the development of other schemes of local improvements, while also furnishing (the township with a splendid site available for further housing plans, together with providing spacious premises where existing, and very inadequate accommodation for township plant and material, which should lead to efficient working at lessened charges. The remaining increase of 9d. in the rates is easily explained by some limited, but necessary, extensions of the public foreshore works; and also by the purchase of motor lorries, with other equipment and material, with a view to future efficiency and, it is hoped, reinstatement in cost of working.

"The Ratepayers' Association does not seem to take account of the exceptional difficulties of the past few years, when the increased cost of living had to be met by augmented wages, which the Council partially countered by working with reduced staff and somewhat impaired efficiency; but now that it has been arranged that wages cuts of 5s. weekly shall take place in August and again in December, and possibly another cut in 1924, it is expected that a more normal condition of affairs will obtain. I do not observe that the Association shower any congratulations on the Council for the shilling reduction in the rates which was effected last year, and that even this year's figures are almost in line with neighbouring townships; nor do I notice any recognition that Blackrock has had for some years the lowest death-rate in Ireland, a fact hardly compatible with alleged municipal neglect.

"The Association mentions the occurrence of a small fire, and has commented on the water supply of the district, while admitting that the fire appliances and men were quickly upon the scene, and the water supply ample, but they place stress upon the water supply being checked at night, apparently oblivious that the water is metered by the Dublin Corporation to the Township, and that daily consumption is 33 gallons per head of the population, and, if unchecked all night, rises to 48 gallons per head, at a proportionately increased charge payable by the ratepayers, but, as before observed, the arrangements have been found adequate when fire has been notified. The cost of a motor fire engine and fire brigade has been discussed, and the Council would be glad to see their way to the expenditure, which would be considerable. The Ratepayers' Association could, perhaps, assist by the formation of a volunteer brigade for service when called upon.

"The Association, while giving prominence to minor remediable matters, ignore many things in connection with the work of the Urban Council which might be given credit for, and even a word of praise, as the Park and football field, with improvements held up for want of money; foreshore and bathing improvements, not yet complete, but partially so; the children's playground on Temple road; the 280 artisans' dwellings; and excellent public baths and wash-houses; the successful Technical Schools and Library, etc.

"For more than 10 years I have given continuous and voluntary services to the Blackrock Urban District, in the company of numerous able members of the Council, many of whom have passed away, and I can testify that the affairs of the Township have always been administered with assiduous care and economy, and with efficiency proportionate to the means at our disposal. I may add that our electrical scheme, approved by the Ministry, and with the sanction of the Free State Government, which, it is understood, will be given as soon as possible."

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A STRIKE RIOT DESCRIBED.

FARMERS' CONVOY ATTACKED.

NINE MEN SENT FOR TRIAL.

Nine labourers from the Ballygunner district of County Waterford were sent for trial at a District Court in Waterford yesterday on a charge of riot and unlawful assembly arising out of the farm strike. The alleged offences took place on May 22nd last.

Mr. Nicholas Power, Ballinakina, described the scene at Knockboy, where a farmers' convoy was held up by between fifty and sixty labourers, who tipped open sacks of meal, flour, and manure, and scattered the contents around the roads. Mr. Power said that he was attacked by fifteen or twenty men, who upset his cart and spilled its contents. In the course of the melee he was hit on the head with a stick, for which he had to be medically treated.

Mr. John Flynn, another farmer, said that the labourers were armed with sticks and knives, and were very hostile. He believed that if he or his fellow-farmers resisted they would have been subjected to much violence.

In opposing bail, except for very substantial amounts, Mr. Ryan, State Solicitor, said that he was instructed by the Civic Guard that in the time which had elapsed since this occurrence over one hundred attacks on farmers and property had been reported.

DUBLIN AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE AND CINEMA PROGRAMMES.

Next week's programme at the Theatre Royal includes Talbot O'Farrell, entertainer; Jimmy Nervo and Teddy Knox, in a comedy act; Arthur Astill and Gwyn Fontaine, in "Vocal Gymnastics." Pyramid building will be the entertainment of the Syrian Troupe of Acrobats. Other players are: Louie Louise, comedienne and dancer; and Tom Fagan, who will introduce his "pack."

The chief entertainment at the Tivoli Theatre will be provided by Duncan's Scotch Collies. There are to be three comedians—Hal Penman, and Frank Delco and Partner —and two dancing performances by the Mizzetti Sisters, and the Seven Gulliver Girls. Dorothy Dodd, in male character studies, and Rosetta and Gilbert, singers, will also appear.

At the Abbey Theatre on Monday a short season will be opened with A. A. Milne's comedy, "The Romantic Age," to be played by Griselda Hervey and Earle Grey and Dorothy Hervey received his early training with Sir Frank Benson, and is a great-great grand-daughter of Lord Edward FitzGerald. Both players have had London successes, and Miss Grey gave performances at Lugo, Casalta, Bassanio, etc., at the Gaiety Theatre earlier in the year.

At the Metropole Cinema, Sackville street, the attraction next week will be "The Three Ages," a comedy, in which Margaret Leahy, a comparatively new cinema "star," takes the chief part. The story deals with the Stone Age, the Roman Age, and the present.

The Duchess of ... is a character in "The Sin of Madam Sans Gene," a film based on the novel of Emile Moreau, which will be shown at La Scala Cinema, Sackville street.

The Carlton Cinema's chief film is "Ducks and Drakes" with Bebe Daniels and Jack Holt in the chief parts. Betty Compson will appear on Thursday in "At the End of the World."

A series of concerts and dramas under the auspices of the Gaelic League will be given in the Gaiety Theatre during the week commencing July 23.

MOTOR CYCLING.

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT TWENTY-FOUR HOURS' RELIABILITY TRIAL.

The awards in connection with the twenty-four hours' reliability trial of the Dublin and District Motor Cycle Club, held on Friday and Saturday of last week, were announced last evening at the meeting of the committee, held at the offices of the Hon. Secretary, Mr. W. H. Freeman. The special awards in connection with the trial were made as follows:—

The Carlton Cup, for the best performance of a machine exceeding 600 c.c. capacity, was awarded to C. S. Kettle, 3½ h.p. Norton.

The Silver Cup, presented by B.S.A. Cycles, Ltd., for the best performance of a passenger machine, was won by J. Burney, 2¼ h.p. Enfield.

The McAllister Cup (300 c.c. class) was awarded to J. G. Burney, 2¼ h.p. Enfield.

The Light-weight prize (250 c.c. class) was awarded to J. G. Burney, 2¼ h.p. Enfield.

The Novices' prize was awarded to James Adair, 4 h.p. Triumph.

The Team prize, for the best performance of a team of three riders on the same make of machine, was won by the Enfield, nor has the 650 c.c. passenger class award.

First-class awards, gold medals, were won by the following competitors, who made clean marks throughout the competition:—C. S. Kettle, 3½ h.p. Norton; H. E. Bell, 7 h.p. James sidecar; J. G. Burney, 2¼ h.p. Enfield; R. Humphreys, 2¼ h.p. Velocette; A. Breslan, 3½ h.p. Norton; A. Wilson, 3½ h.p. Norton; J. Carroll, 3½ h.p. B.S.A.; T. Woods, 2¾ h.p. B.S.A.; M. J. Doyle, 4 h.p. Indian Scout; W. T. Malcolmson, 9.5 h.p. G.N.; R. D. Cox, 9 h.p. Rondge; C. Neill, 10 h.p. Swift; J. F. A. Bell, 20 h.p. Gray. J. H. Patton's award is under consideration.

Silver medals were won by the following competitors, who did not lose more than ten marks throughout the competition:—James Adair, 4 h.p. Triumph; H. E. Mitchell, 2¼ h.p. Velocette; T. Henry, 2¼ h.p. Velocette. The award to R. D. Gibson (3 h.p. Raleigh sidecar) is under consideration.

IRISH FAIRS.

MULLINGAR.—Held on 4th July. A medium-sized cattle fair. Demand slow, with prices showing a downward tendency. Springers and milch cows were in good demand at late rates. Sheep and lambs met a slow trade, values tending lower. Calves—Under 4 months old £2 10/- to £3 10/-; average £3 0/-. Store cattle (over 6 and not exceeding 12 months)—1st class £8 10/- to £10 10/-; average £9 15/-; 2nd class £6 to £8 5/-; average £7 10/-. One-year-old and under two years—1st class £13 5/- to £15 10/-; average £14 10/-; 2nd class £11 to £13 5/-; average £12. Two years old and under three years—1st class £17 10/- to £21; average £18 10/-; live weight average 48/-; 2nd class £14 10/- to £17; average £16; live weight average 42/-. Three years old and over—1st class £22 to £25; average £23 10/-; live weight average 46/-; 2nd class £18 10/- to £21 10/-; average £19 10/-; live weight average 43/6. Fat cattle (three years old and over)—1st class £30 to £35; average £32; live weight average 51/-; cows and bulls—2nd class £16 to £21; average £18; live weight average 41/-. Springers (cows and heifers)—1st class £17 to £24; average £20 10/-; 2nd class £17 to £20 10/-; average £19. Milch cows (down calved)—1st class £19 to £23; average £20 10/-; 2nd class £16 to £18 10/-; average £17. Lambs (under 12 months old)—Long wools 55/- to 58/-; average 47/6; downs and cross-breds 48/- to 55/-; average 52/6. Fat sheep (one-year-old and under two years)—Long wools 80/- to 95/-; average 90/-; two years old and upwards—Long wools 75/- to 100/-; average 85/-.

ROSCREA.—Held on 4th July. A small fair. Demand for calves steady at advanced prices. Cows were in moderate request. Small sheep fair. Fat sheep in brisk demand. Lambs sold slowly at reduced rates. Calves—Under 6 months old £3 10/- to £5 10/-; average £4 2/6. Store cattle (over 6 and not exceeding 12 months)—1st class £7 15/- to £9; average £7 10/-; 2nd class £6 to £7; average £6 5/-. One-year-old and under two years—1st class £12 to £14 5/-; average £13 5/-; live weight average 41/- per cwt.; 2nd class £9 to £11; average £10 10/-; live weight average 40/-. Two years old and under three years—1st class £17 £19 10/-; average £17 10/-; live weight average 42/-; 2nd class £13 to £16 5/-; average £15; live weight average 41/-. Springers (cows and heifers)—1st class £20 to £25; average £21 10/-; 2nd class £14 10/- to £19; average £18. Milch cows (down calved)—1st class £19 to £24 5/-; average £21; 2nd class £13 to £16 10/-; average £15 10/-. Lambs (under 12 months old)—Long wools 58/- to 60/-; average 42/6; downs and cross-breds 40/- to 55/-; average 43/6. Fat sheep (two years old and over)—Long wools 85/- to 110/-; average 100/-.

The Duchess of Portland will visit various West End depots on Friday, July 13, when there will be a flag day for the benefit of the British Empire Fund towards the restoration of Rheims Cathedral.

BANK OF IRELAND CLERKSHIPS.

At the examination in January last, 16 appointments were gained by pupils of Rossa College, Stephen's Green. 10 Successes at previous examination. First Place on 11 occasions.—(Advt.).

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

IRELAND AND INCOME TAX.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—A few mornings ago I cashed in bank some dividend warrants, among them being a warrant of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for interest on their Debenture Stock, from which no income tax had been deducted, contrary to the invariable practice. The other warrants were from English companies, on which the tax for 4s. 6d. was deducted in the usual way. I was more or less elated on receiving my Canadian Pacific dividend free of income tax, when, alas! I got a communication from the bank this morning stating that they had been instructed to collect income tax on the Canadian Pacific warrants at the rate of 4s. 6d. in the pound. Had the tax been stopped at the English side, as heretofore, the rate would have been 4s. 6d., the same as is charged on the English warrants. It is like trying to square the circle.—Yours, etc.,

M. DONOHOE.

Clonsilon, Meath road, Bray,
July 5th, 1923.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Surely Lord Decies, in his letter of the 5th instant, has over-stated the facts? Unless we are all grievously mistaken the Unionist arrangements made by the Irish Free State Government, taken in conjunction with the Government, taken in conjunction with the British Finance Act, 1920, insure an individual taxpayer in practically all cases against double taxation on the same income. I understand that where income tax is charged on the same income both in the United Kingdom and in the Irish Free State relief will be given equivalent to the tax at the lower of the rates imposed. In other words, the taxpayer will bear one of the two rates only—the greater of the two. If this be so, the most that will be paid in either of the two cases cited by Lord Decies by way of illustration is 5s. in the pound.

The method of calculating the relief, however, is very complicated, and I fully agree with Lord Decies that a clear statement, couched in language that the ordinary taxpayer can understand, is overdue. What is still more "urgently essential" at the moment is an official pronouncement that limited companies carrying on business both in the United Kingdom and the Free State (*e.g.*—a Dublin company with a branch in Belfast) will not have to pay double tax—a question upon which apparently considerable doubt exists.—Yours, etc.,

G. H. TELLOCH.

Belfast, July 6th, 1923.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I have read the letter of "R. M. St. A." in your paper to-day, and, although it is consoling so far as it goes, it leaves the question of the method by which the Free State will levy its proportion of the tax still in doubt; and I have been unable to get any trustworthy information on the subject. I have been informed on what I believe to be good authority that the full English tax of 4s. 6d will be deducted on all English dividends paid to Irish residents, and that the Free State will claim payment in addition from such Irish residents of 2s. 9d., and leave him to claim a refund from the English Government of 2s. 3d., portion of the 4s. 6d. originally deducted.

Everyone who has any experience of the trouble and delay of obtaining a refund of income tax will realise what such an arrangement will mean to every Irish resident who has money invested in English securities.—Yours, etc.,

"W. W. C."

Dublin, July 6th, 1923.

ECONOMIC LAWS AND IRELAND.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Mr. R. P. Preston draws attention to the fact that Ireland is in a different position to the United States of America and the Germanic Zollverein, both of which facts I am perfectly aware of. My object is to have the whole matter discussed. If Mr. Preston is satisfied that Ireland should remain as she was in the past—namely, a nation inhabiting a country with the best climate and the most naturally fertile soil in the world, but with a population, in the rough, of about half that of Belgium, although she is nearly three times its size—I do not think he will get many of the electors to agree with him. No doubt, he may think we would be worse off if we had protection, and if he tells us his reasons, he may convert us before the election.

As a rule, I notice that none of the opponents of protection seems inclined to come into the open. My arguments in favour of protection may be poor, but no arguments against it have been brought forward. We are quite open to conviction.—Yours, etc.,

JOHN SWEETMAN.

Drumbaragh, Kells, July 5th, 1923.

DEATH DUTIES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The British Government entered into a contract with the holders of Victory Bonds to accept these Bonds at par for death duty purposes, and, in consequence of this, were able to place them at a lower rate of interest than other Government Securities, with the result that during the intervening years we were content to receive a smaller income in exchange for an eventual larger capital repayment. It is obviously no answer to say that, if dissatisfied, we can sell our present holdings. That solution might, perhaps, be good enough apply to holders of 4% tax-compounded Bonds, but Victory Bond owners are in a different position. By selling now we should not only lose the difference in interest during the past intervening years, but the benefit of the contract entered into with the British Government for the ultimate acceptance of these Bonds at face value—in other words, a loss on present prices of something like £80 for every £1,000 of Bonds.

When two private individuals enter into a contract one of the parties cannot get rid of his obligation by transferring it to a third party, and that is precisely the position in which Victory Bond owners stand in respect of their relations with the British and Free State Governments. The former have transferred their rights and obligations to the latter, and it is unthinkable that in consequence thereof the original rights of the Victory Bond owners should be rendered liable to confiscation and treated as waste paper.

I believe that very few of the Irish holders have yet realised the position. Otherwise energetic steps would have been taken ere this, by public meeting, deputation or other means, to safeguard their threatened interests.—Yours, etc.,

DAVID ALLEN, JUNIOR.

Miramer, Killiney, Co. Dublin,
July 6th, 1923.

SUMMER HOLIDAYS.

As announced in our advertising columns, the Great Southern and Western Railway Company are now offering cheap fare facilities from Kingsbridge, Dublin, to holiday resorts served by their system, such as Kenmare, Killaloe, Killarney, Tramore, Valencia Harbour, etc. Tourist tickets, available for return within two months from date of issue, and 15-day tickets (issued only on Fridays and Saturday) have been arranged for at specially attractive rates.

SUNDAY MUSIC.

By order of the Public Health Committee of the Dublin Corporation, the undermentioned bands will perform to-morrow from 4 to 6 p.m., as follows:—

The Irish National Foresters' Band at the New Park, Fairview.

The O'Connell Band at St. Michan's Park, Halston street.

The Irish Transport Fife and Drum Band at Queen's square, Great Brunswick street.

TO-DAY'S MUSIC.

The following programme of music will be played in St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, at 3.30 p.m. to-day:—

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Valse ..... Madame ..... Herman.
Selection ..... Premier Prideaps ..... Wallace.
Cornet Solo ..... Mariana ..... Wallace.
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Tom Madden.
INTERVAL.
Descriptive March ..... Cak, Cak ..... Thurban.
Selection ..... Pleading Shoe ..... Finck
March Song ..... Katie Muldoon ..... Holden
American Two-Step ..... Mumblin' Moss ..... Thurban
Finale ..... Soldier's Song.
Conductor—Sergt.-Major T. Devlin.

The Civic Guard Depot Band will perform each Monday evening during the summer in the Hollow, Phoenix Park, from 7.30 to 9.30 p.m.

Correspondence between Lord Curzon and the Comte de Saint-Aulaire, the French Ambassador in London, on the subjects of the nationality of the children of British soldiers born in Tunisia, has been published as a White Paper, Cmd. 1899, price 2d.

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"VITAL IMPORTANCE."

CARE OF TUBERCULOUS CHILDREN.

Mr. William Ireland presided at the annual meeting of the National Children's Hospital, Harcourt street, Dublin, on Thursday. There were also present Sir Lambert Ormsby, M.D.; Sir Sugon Maddock, Major Arthur Wheewell, Mr. T. N. Edgeworth, D.L.; Dr. Trevor Smith, and Mr. Cecil McDougald, Hon. Secretary.

The report stated that the year had been a trying one owing to unsettled conditions in the country, and the amount received in subscriptions was much smaller than in previous years. The collections also were much less, and the usual grant from the Dublin Hospital Sunday Fund was not included in the balance sheet, as it came in February. A half-year's grant from the Dublin Corporation, however, was included.

The attendance at the out-patient department was 7,254 and the number of in-patients was 295.

The hospital started the year 1922 with an adverse balance of £2,476, and, after nine months' working, there was a deficit of £329, leaving the debit balance on January 1st, 1923, of £2,805. A large proportion of this, the Committee trusted, would be wiped out by the Carnival held in June.

The report was adopted.

SIR LAMBERT ORMSBY'S APPEAL.

Sir Lambert Ormsby, as senior medical officer to the institution, said that last year and for many years he had spoken of a subject which he considered of vital importance. He had, as they all knew, a very long experience in the treatment of diseases peculiar to children, and he had thought very deeply on the hopelessness of treating extensive tuberculous disease of bones and joints in the closed wards of a city hospital. For years he had refused admittance to the general hospital with which he was connected of all tuberculous children for a longer period than was necessary to correct urgent and unsightly deformities.

He strongly urged the committee and the charitable public to collect funds to build a children's country hospital, attached to and run in connection with this institution, in the pure country air or at the seaside, where the little patients could get out of doors in pure air and sunshine. This would be a departure sure to succeed, and would be to the lasting benefit of the children. He said that if they only could induce charitable people to subscribe the money, work on the building could be commenced at once.

At present infants from one month and children up to 15 years were treated in the hospital, as had been the custom since the institution was established in 1821. As could be seen, many of their patients were placed in outdoor corridors, where they stayed in the fresh air night and day.

On the motion of Sir Lambert Ormsby, seconded by Mr. Edgeworth, the following committee was elected:—The Viscount Powerscourt, K.P., H.M.L.; Lt.-Col. Sir Lambert H. Ormsby, M.D., D.L.; the Right Hon. T. L. O'Shaughnessy, P.C.; Lt.-Col. A. L'Estrange, A. H. Ormsby-Hamilton, Esq., D.L.; Alderman J. J. Kenny, Katherine Clarke, Councillor Richard H. White, William Ireland, Esq., J.P., T. N. Edgeworth, Esq., D.L., Myles Keogh, Esq., L.D.S.I.; Dr. Trevor Smith, F.R.C.S.; Maxwell Armit, Esq., Sir W. Nadey and Dr. Major Arthur Whewell, Lady Ormsby, Thomas Armstrong, Esq.

CHURCH NOTES.

The people of Tristan da Cunha have been greatly delighted and much encouraged by the visit of H.M.S. Dublin, conveying the Bishop of St. Helena, in whose diocese this remote island is situated. The Bishop had been long expected, and every preparation was made to receive him. For some time previously Confirmation and instruction classes had been held and the people had been coming regularly to Holy Communion. The Bishop was received on the shore by the entire population of the island, headed by the Rev. H. M. Rogers and Mrs. Rogers, and during his short visit, from the 28th to 30th of May, he held a Confirmation Service, at which seventy-six persons received the sacred rite. Over eighty attended a Service of Holy Communion which was subsequently held. The inhabitants of this lonely island depend almost entirely for subsistence and for knowledge of the outer world on the annual or biennial visit of a ship from England. They are a simple, industrious and God-fearing people, and they are poor in this world's goods, but generous, contributions for which, either in money or material, will be gratefully received by the Chaplain, the Rev. H. M. Rogers.

The National Church Assembly will meet for its summer session in the Great Hall of the Church House, Westminster, on July 9th and the following days. The present week is being devoted to the consideration of the Prayer Book Revision Measure, the stage of revision by the House of Clergy and Laity sitting separately. These meetings are held in the Church House and are open to the Press as well as to the public. The amendments which have been made in committee will be considered by the House of Bishops, who will at a later stage present the measure in its completed form to the National Assembly for final approval or rejection.

The Bishop of Truro, Dr. Warman, who up to the time of his appointment as Bishop was regarded as a leading light amongst Evangelicals, appears to have changed his views considerably since then. He has now become a patron and supporter of the Anglo-Catholic movement, and also a strenuous advoc

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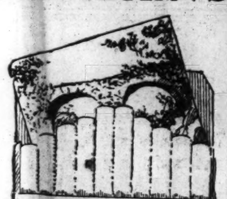

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THE SUMMER PALACE.

THREE AUSTRIAN PERSONALITIES.

Elisabeth, Empress of Austria, Queen of Hungary

(BY MATUSCHKA.)

IN 1837 Ludovica, the wife of Maximilian Joseph I., of Bavaria, bore him a daughter. It was Christmas Eve, and the story goes that the King, because of his own joy gave succour to a poor peasant woman whom he met as she was going home to a needy family. Yet joy was not to be the daughter's part, for she was "born to splendour and sorrow."

In 1853, her cousin, the young Emperor of Austria, came to Bavaria. He was to meet there Elisabeth's elder sister. But it chanced that he saw Elisabeth first. She greeted him with the words, "Grüss Gott. Vetter. Dich soll ich nicht sehen." "God be with you, cousin. I am not to see you." Indeed, she was hustled away by her governess, but Francis Joseph I. had made his choice. He declared that he would marry Elizabeth or no one.

Her parents, while resenting the slight on their elder daughter, acquiesced in the inevitable. When Elizabeth was told of the serious attitude adopted by the cousin whom she had chaffed, she declared, astounded, "It is impossible; I am only a child." Yet still a child she became Empress of Austria, Queen of Hungary, and in putting on the crown she put on therewith a life-long sorrow.

As a girl, Elizabeth had been used to a simple life in the Bavarian hills. She had been brought up, too, on lines of the strictest economy—indeed, she used to knit stockings for the regiments and sew to increase her pocket money. She wandered about at will, going into the cottages, and talking there to the peasant women—making friends with people, taking them at their own value.

Thus the life at Court was irksome to her, and it was made doubly irksome by her mother-in-law, the Archduchess Sophie, who was her enemy from the first. She treated her as a "troublesome child," and gave her this name. Her husband's great aunt was the Queen Marie Antoinette, as unfortunate a Queen as Elisabeth was destined to be, and like her, Elisabeth disdained the rules of Court etiquette. Once she came to a Court dinner without her gloves, and as the result of this lapse, and others of a similar nature, the Archduchess Sophie had her children taken away from her and put in a separate wing of the palace, saying that she was not fit to bring up children, as she did not know how to conduct herself.

When Elizabeth came to Vienna first she went about the town freely, going to all sorts of shops that took her fancy, buying even, so the Viennese will tell you, little hot sausages from the sausage-men in the street. For this she was severely reprimanded—there was constant war between herself and the elderly ladies of the palace. By degrees estrangement grew up between the Emperor and her. He returned to his bachelor manners and customs, and as these were of no virtuous kind, they did not draw him nearer to his wife, whose early upbringing was strict and virtuous.

Soon she wearied of the political intrigue of Court life, and the eternal artificiality that surrounded her, and she left Austria to visit foreign countries. But before she did this she went to that country, almost foreign to Austria, foreign as much, at any rate, to it as Ireland is to England: Hungary.

There had been at this time the greatest bitterness and ill-will in Hungary towards Austria. Before his marriage Francis Joseph had been unable to alter it. But it is said of Elisabeth that she "could feel the ice round the Hungarians' hearts." It may be, indeed, that she sympathised with their position, having heard in her own unhappy position in words being spoken of the Hungarian people. She sympathised with all people that were suffering and oppressed, and it may have been some of that sympathy that drew her to Ireland, for Ireland was one of the countries she visited again and again, travelling incognito as an Austrian Countess. So great was her particular love for Hungary that once when travelling there a lady-in-waiting signed her name in a book as Empress of Austria. Elisabeth, on noticing it, crossed out the words, and wrote beneath in the Hungarian language, "Elisabeth, Hungarian Queen."

For many years Elisabeth was in disfavour at Court for another reason. She had no son. At last, in 1880, Rudolf was born. He was the unhappy Crown Prince of Austria, who died in his early youth by his own hand, ending at the same time the life of his mistress, Baroness Marie Vecsera, a Hungarian lady.

Elisabeth was much interested in literature and art. She translated Schopenhauer, and made a study of Voltaire and Rousseau. She had no care for power, no grasping desires, and thus from the first was despised and misunderstood by her mother-in-law, who was both narrow-minded and wordly. Elisabeth was interested, however, in the welfare of her poorer subjects, those of the working classes, and urged that legal reforms should be made to assist them. It was surely a gruesome irony that fate had destined her to be a victim to the knife of one of those whom she had sought to free. For Luccheni, who assassinated her in Geneva in 1899, declared that he saw in her, not a woman, an Empress—it was "the crown" he wished to strike. She feared often for her husband's life from political attacks, but not for her own: "I am safe," she said, "for I am too unimportant a personage to attract their malevolence—I have never meddled in politics or affairs of State."

On her way to the boat in Geneva, after the knife had been plunged into her body beneath the fourth rib, entering heart and lungs, this courageous woman actually walked with assistance eighty steps to the vessel, where she died. She was then in her sixtieth year.

On hearing the news the unhappy Emperor said: "What man could be found to attack such a woman whose life was spent in doing good and who never injured any person." Surely the anarchist Luccheni was strange above all anarchists, and how strangely her own words ring: "I ask nothing from humanity, except that they do not interfere with me." It was a small request, perhaps—but it was not granted her.

THE WALKING STICK.

THE walking stick, apart from its historical interest, has for ages been used as a means of support.

Although we can scarcely trace its history back to the Garden of Eden, yet we venture to say that it has been used by Cain as a companion in his affliction in all his enforced and solitary wanderings in his native land.

Be that as it may, we know that the stick was well known during the Heroic period, since it was referred to in the enigma put forth by the Sphinx and solved by Oedipus: Of the pilgrim's staff of the Middle Ages students of history are quite aware. This staff was peculiarly constructed. It not only served the purpose of a walking stick, but was so planned that the upper part contained a large receptacle wherein certain religious relics were kept and a gourd bottle of water carried.

It is said that through this, too, the silkworm was introduced into Europe by missionaries who, by concealing the eggs of the silkworm in this hollow stick, deceived the Chinese, ever jealous of their commerce, and returned in triumph to Constantinople with the spoils of the East. To-day on the frontier Free State territory a walking stick of this kind would be, for obvious reasons, a valuable acquisition.

From portraits of eminent persons of the sixteenth century we can see that even in our country walking sticks richly mounted and adorned with gold, were very much in use.

In the middle of the seventeenth century they appeared to have increased in luxury, both in respect to the mountings and the material of which they were made. The stick, then in use, was of slender proportions, but richly adorned with gold, silver, even precious stones. They were preserved in cases of shagreen, in which we have mention in the poem, "Rape of the Lock," by Pope:—

"Sir Plume, of amber snuff-box justly vain,
And the nice conduct of a clouded cane."

Many of us remember the days of the strong bamboo cane, which the "Beau of Brummell" of that period flourished and carried with no little grace; and the stout, knotted stick—the more knots the better—used with such deadly skill in the time of the faction fights. Each knot, it was said by some wag of the day, was a physical argument in itself.

J. F. G.

"CEALCHYLLE."

NOT some newly discovered district in remote Africa, not some romantic island of the sea, not even a village in the West of Ireland crying out for the awakening touch of a George Birmingham, but accessible from mid-London by bus or underground is Cealchylle, *alias* Chelcith, *alias* Chelsea.

Herself a true-born Bohemian, Chelsea can afford to laugh at the vagaries of fashion, now she is popular by reason of such diverse things as buns or literature, or art, or china, now she is overlooked, now the limelight of history plays on her old face, now the shadows of temporary oblivion fall upon it.

Chelsea sits indifferently at home regarding the changing world from some old-fashioned window; she is like a contented old beauty whose day is over, and who is now prepared to sit and feast on the memories of a triumphant past. She has a tolerant smile for present fame, she knows that her past celebrity is a good security against the danger of being completely and entirely forgotten.

Chelsea has rocked too many cradles of fame for that, and however the dictum may have cast caste in some circles that the "hand that rocks the cradle rules the world" it still holds good in the world of fame. Chelsea has too many children to rise up and call her, if not blessed, well known to ever be disowned.

She has marched down time from the days of the old Doomsday Book; she has harboured all sorts and conditions of men, and of women; she has conversed with the great and the good, talked philosophy with the learned, jested with the foolish, sported with kings.

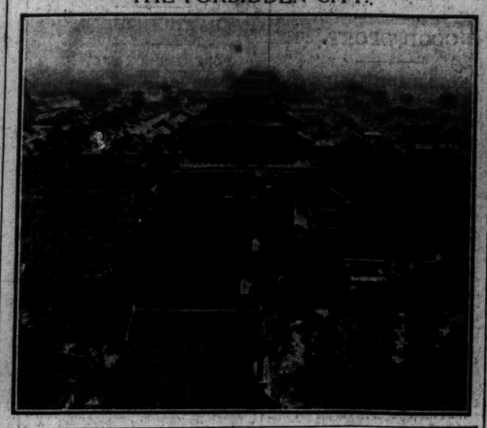
If Chelsea would hold a ghostly dinner party what illustrious shades would gather there—shades belonging to every century, from Sir Thomas More down to the latest yesterday, little Queen Elizabeth, and possibly Mary Queen of Scots. Certainly Charles II. and his beloved Nell, Walpole, the Kingsley brothers, Turner, Rossetti, Swinburne, George Eliot, Carlyle, and many others whose number pass beyond counting.

But Chelsea could gather a very attractive party of the famous living, too, if she so wished, for although they cry that "Chelsea is going down," the famous go back to her, drawn possibly as much by her own charm as by the charm of her associations.

And Chelsea smiles—as long as Art lives in London—she knows she will hold her own.

IVAN ABAIR.

THE FORBIDDEN CITY.



"THE PURPLE FORBIDDEN CITY."

A Disastrous Fire—The Seat of Kublai Khan—Marco Polo's Description.

THE mysterious outbreak of fire which occurred last week in the "Purple Forbidden City" at Pekin has destroyed some of the most ancient and beautiful buildings in the world. Three famous palaces, known as the Chung Cheng-tien, the Chien Fu-Kung, and the Yen Chun-Keh, were completely gutted, and many priceless works of art perished in the fire.

The outbreak was discovered by an official of the British Embassy, who immediately gave the alarm, and the ex-Emperor was one of the most active among those who tried to prevent the spread of the flames.

For some reason, probably because they were afraid of looting, the guards at the former Imperial Palace refused to permit either Chinese or foreign fire brigades to enter the Forbidden City. After a long consultation, however, common-sense prevailed, and the brigades were allowed to get to work. By this time, unfortunately, several of the most beautiful buildings had been destroyed; but by cutting down a number of trees and demolishing some of the smaller buildings, the area of destruction was limited.

Pekin is one of the most beautiful cities in the world. From the walls it looks like a city of gardens, with its upturned roofs of temples, palaces, and mansions glittering with blue, green and yellow tiles among rich groves of trees. Within the old Tartar City, part of which was built by Kublai Khan, across the Imperial City, which in turn enclosed the Purple Forbidden City, where the former Emperor's palace stood. In this palace, whose halls were not surpassed anywhere for the magnificence of their proportions and their marble-barrage grandeur, the "Son of Heaven" used to hold his Court and receive the congratulations of his Ministers at the annual seasons of rejoicing.

The other buildings in the Forbidden City included the residences of the highest dignitaries of the Empire, while just outside, towards the South, were the offices of the six official boards, which used to direct the business of the eighteen provinces. It was in the Yamen of one of those boards that Lord Elgin signed the Treaty after the war in 1860.

Writing about the Imperial Palace the great traveller of olden times, Marco Polo, says:—"You must know that for three months in the year—to wit, December, January, and February—the Great Khan resides in the capital city of Cathay, which is called Cambaluc. In that city stands his great palace, and now I will tell you what it is like. It is enclosed all round by a great wall forming a square, each side of which is a mile in length. . . . It is also very thick and a good round . . . At each angle of the wall there is a very fine and rich palace, in which the war harness of the Emperor is kept. Also, midway between every two of those corner palaces, there is another of the like; so that, taking the whole compass of the enclosure, you find eight fine palaces stored with the great lords' harness of war . . .

"In the middle of the second enclosure is the lord's great palace, and I will tell you what it is like. You must know that it is the greatest palace that ever was. The palace itself hath no upper storey, but is all on the ground floor. Only the basement is raised some ten palms above the surrounding soil, and this elevation is retained by a wall of marble raised to the level of the paving two spaces in width and projecting beyond the base of the palace so as to form a kind of terrace walk by which people can pass round the building, and which is exposed to view, whilst on the outer edge of the wall there is a very fine pillared balustrade, and up to this the people are allowed to go.

"The roof is very lofty, and the walls of the palace are all covered with golden silver. They are also adorned with representations of dragons, beasts, and birds, knights and idols, and sundry other subjects, and on the ceiling, too you can see nothing but gold and silver and painting. The hall of the palace is so large that it could easily dine 6,000 people, and it is quite a marvel to see how many rooms there are besides.

"The building is altogether so vast, so rich, and so beautiful that no man on earth could design anything superior to it. The outside of the roof also is all covered with vermilion and yellow and green and blue and other hues, which are fixed with a varnish so fine and exquisite that they shine like crystal, and lend a resplendent lustre to the palace as seen for a great way round.

"On the top of the hill there is a peculiar, fine palace, which is all green inside and out, and thus the hill and the trees and the palace form together a charming spectacle, and it is marvellous to see their uniformity of colour. Everybody who sees them is delighted, and the Great Khan has caused this beautiful prospect to be formed for the comfort and solace and delectation of his heart."

MY TENT AT ANNAGASSAN (CO. LOUTH).

The shore at Annagassan on a summer day of smiles,
The wilderness of shining sand that spreads for miles and miles;
Search all along the sea coast from Fairhead to Saltes Isles,
There is not a strand to match with Annagassan.

I am dreaming in the sunset, and across the sleepy bay
I can see the mountain ranges in their lovely blue array;
And I caught Slieve Donard peeping, very faint and far away
From my lonely little tent at Annagassan.

I would rather have my simple tent, away from city din,
And shift it here and shift it there whene'er the tide comes in,
And take my chance of drowning, and risk Dame Fortune's spin
Than leave the shining sands of Annagassan.

I have heard the drowsy boom of surf on far Pacific shores,
And seen its flying white at night across the foamy bars,
But give me that white ridge of sea beneath the wandering stars
I saw last night creep in at Annagassan.

I have stood beneath the Southern Cross, star-gemmed in burnished gold,
And felt the wonder of the night across the heated wold,
But to-night the Great Bear burning blue above Slieve Gallion old
Has an equal glory seen from Annagassan.

I have roamed the world and wandered round among the jungle races;
In ships upon the raging sea and far-off lonely places;
And the lovely spots of God's sweet earth are old familiar faces.
But to-night I saw the moon on Annagassan.

Moonlight flooding all the mountains, with Slieve Donard like a midge
Perched across the blue-capped distance just beyond the ocean's ridge;
Moonlight on the silent harbour and the Christ beside the bridge
Keeping guard above the homes of Annagassan!

RANDAL MCDONNELL.

SATURDAY.

(BY G. E. M.)

THE morning was grey, but promising, with the warm caressing breath of June. On one side of the old city lies the blue expanse of Dublin Bay, and on the other the Dublin mountains stand faintly amethyst against a wonderful sky dappled with mares' tails, both calling, luring one away from everyday humdrum things of this week. The choice was difficult, and so, ultimately, was the road, for I chose the mountains.

Thermos and a day's rations in a textile bag, I boarded a Rathfarnham tram, and was there joined by another of the old Brigade. By this time the clouds had rolled away, leaving a sky of unbroken azure, and, bidding farewell to the hard facts of reality, we turned our faces towards the Hill of Enchantment. A long, hot walk, and, more than once, our thoughts ran to "ifs," but "ifs" are only for the poor rich folk, and not for vagabonds like us!

Up we toiled, high hedges on either side, and a blazing sun overhead; then, striking the open road, hedges, barbed wire fences, and all restraints left behind, we struck up across the shoulder of the hill, with the heather springing under out feet, and all nature rushing to welcome us poor fugitives from the artificialities of life. We turned to take a breather then, and there lay Dublin at our feet, wrapped in a soft transforming haze, all her disfiguring slums, her ruined buildings obliterated by kindly distance.

The stark reality of secret lives, which, in the city, peers at one from street corners, and from grimy tenement windows, seems impossible in so fair a picture. Beyond the city, like blue in a sapphire sea, were Howth, Ireland's Eye, and Lambay Island, while further north a level stretch of golden sand enticed us from afar. And suddenly an old song I had not heard for years leaped from the past:—

"Oh Bay of Dublin,
My heart's a-troublin',
For no one knows
How dear thou art to me."

"Another day," we say apologetically, "we'll go to Portmarnock," and then on again till we call a halt for lunch.

We are miles from anywhere. There is not one jarring note. The stillness is unbroken save for the hum of honey bees and the joyous melody of a lark soaring upward. Now and then a lamb bleats hungrily from the farther hillside, and a snipe rising suddenly almost at our feet, whirring a shrill goat-like call with its wings. Here in the solitude and beauty of the hills there is peace. The lrk of convention and things sophisticated melt away, and life takes on a different aspect. The tragedy of Yesterday and the menace of To-morow are banished. Only To-day exists.

Presently it is evening, and we must take the road again. It is rough; it is thick in dust, and it leads back to things that are difficult, things that are sad, and things that seem hopeless, but down there in the murk and scrdidness of material things, there will remain to us a memory—a Day of Days—a little green oasis set in life's dusty desert.

DUSE AND OLD AGE.

(BY J. S. COLLIS.)

I SUPPOSE it is only one in a million persons who are able to conquer old age—more especially in the case of actresses. For the actress age is a much more serious matter than for any other artist. The painter, the poet, the musician can go doddering on till he falls into the grave. He need not even "dodder," if it is true that Goethe wrote Faust at eighty. But, unless an actress has got something more than a figure, a face, and a voice, she will be finished at an age when some men of letters are only starting.

In fact, Age is the one perfect critic of an actress's real worth. This was tragically proved in the case of Sarah Bernhardt. No woman had greater will power than she, and no woman gave Age a harder battle, or met it with more courageous words. "One must know how to will—always, and in spite of all," she said. "I have fought with time and been stronger than Time; I have striven with illness and conquered it; I have battled with death and repulsed it—requiring it to come back later. That is the secret of my youth."

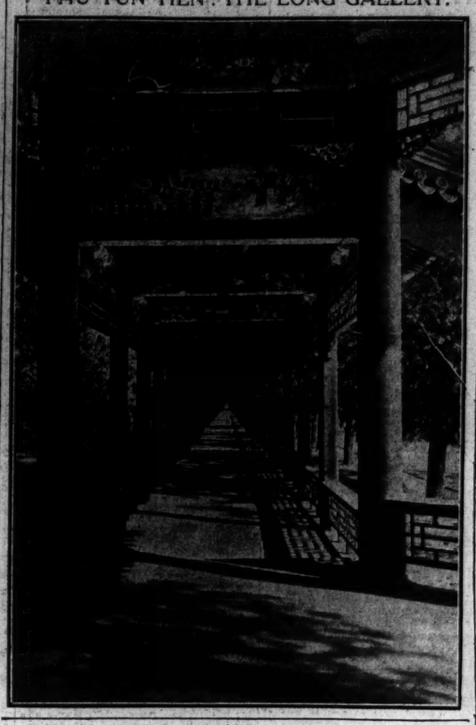
But it was all in vain. Her last visit to London was a failure. Her dresses and diamonds, her innerudined finger-tips, her elaborate Mona Lisa smile and lips like a newly-painted pillar-box, coyly disclosing the brilliant row of teeth were unable to conceal the fact that she was an old woman who had no intellectual but only an emotional genius. She had fascinated the world by her person, and age robbed her of that power.

Not so with Duse. Age has no terrors for her. Why should it? She has never borrowed her complexion in her life; and her acting is intellectual acting from beginning to end. Since it has not been her custom in the past to whip herself up into violent furies there is no need for her to do it now as a part of a ridiculous Dusian tradition. Her white hair and worn face have a rude beauty of their own, which at once impresses itself upon the audience.

Thus her visit to London again has been a uninterrupted triumph. When she stood upon the stage as M. Alving in Ibsen's terrible play of "Ghosts" you could feel the ghosts of "ideals" surrounding her, banking her happiness, dragging her down, and causing the madness of her son. When she was the Lady of the Sea you felt her longing, and understood her tears, though the slowness of the play and the deadness of the language would have seemed an impossible barrier for any other actress to break down.

In print it looks foolish, but it was well worth going in even to see her bowing to the audience at the finish of the acts. It must have left a permanent impression upon the minds of all who saw her do it. She was called back again and again. Each time she came back it was with a sort of forlorn weariness of indescribable grace. She never started bowing until the curtain was nearly down, then she bent in perfect time with it, so that it went down upon her bending form. It seemed to me that the number of times she was called back was greatly increased by the desire of the audience to see again and again such an astonishing feat of grace.

PAU YUN TIEN: THE LONG GALLERY.



SOME IRISH ARTISTS

XV.—Mr. James Sleator.

(BY BRUYERE.)

IT was in 1915 that Mr. James Sleator made his first real success in Dublin, with a self-portrait, which was exhibited in the Royal Hibernian Academy of that year. Since then Mr. Sleator has become exceedingly well known, particularly as a painter of portraits, though he is also much appreciated for his still-life work. He is one of the more recent members of the R.H.A., being elected to that body a few years ago.

Mr. Sleator is an Ulsterman, his home is in Belfast itself, but he is not there, nor, indeed, anywhere in Ireland, for the greater part of his time. He is one of those Irish artists who are all too seldom to be found in Ireland. At the same time, it is only fair to say at once that Mr. Sleator's work does not lose, but gains, through his wanderings. A few years ago he went to Spain, and more recently he spent a considerable time in Italy. These visits have tended to broaden his work very much, indeed. It is always to the good that artists should see the work of the great masters, and get to know what their contemporaries in other countries are doing, lest their outlook become too limited, and their own productions too "local."

In his earlier portraits, this artist shows a strong influence of Sir William Orpen, but now that influence is not nearly so noticeable; he seems to have cut out a clear line for himself. For a while Mr. Sleator taught in the Metropolitan School of Art, after he had "qualified," one wants to say, but there is really no word, for painting is not like one of the professions! He proved to be a first-rate teacher in the Life Class, and was exceptionally popular with the students in the School. He did not, however, stay very long at the Dublin School, but went off to paint portraits in Belfast, London, and other places. The portraits that he has painted include one of Mrs. Delap, which was exhibited in last year's Hibernian Academy, and one of Mr. St. John Ervine, the well-known dramatist and dramatic critic.

There is one painting of Mr. Sleator's which is especially attractive, and it ought to be familiar to Dublin people, for it was for a long period on loan to the Municipal Gallery—this is a portrait of Mr. Fred O'Donovan in the character of Robert Emmet in Mr. Lennox Robinson's play, "The Dreamers." This picture, which is in the possession of Mr. Robinson, is a three-quarter length portrait, showing Emmet in uniform. It is a good likeness of Mr. O'Donovan, and the colouring and painting are very well done.

I referred above to Mr. Sleator's still-life painting. Those who visited last year's Academy will, no doubt, remember an interesting still-life composition by him. The central thing in this picture was a beautiful green bowl. In painting of this kind, Mr. Sleator displays an excellent sense of charming design; and, too, he has a good eye for the best use of different colours.

I understand that Mr. Sleator is due to pay another visit to Dublin in the near future. Since he was last here he has spent many months in Italy; let us hope that he will follow the example of several other artists, and hold an exhibition of his work during the last eighteen months.

HAPLESS EMIGRANTS.

(BY MARCIA.)

THE submerged continent of Lemuria is now the Indian Ocean, and it is agreed on all sides that Atlantis is buried fathoms deep where the Atlantic now rolls. Even the driest of dry land, the Sahara itself, is the sand of an ancient and forgotten sea, as the shells found, intermingled, prove. Doubtless many another dried-up ocean and ancient civilisation has been lost for ever to the memory of man.

That these submerged and forgotten countries are held in atavistic memory by some birds and beasts does, perhaps, account for certain periodic migrations of theirs, resulting in great loss of life in the waters that cover the lost home of their dreams. One of the strangest of these migrations was, perhaps, that of the sand-grouse in 1863, when a species of these birds, whose native home is on the Tartar Steppes, journeyed in immense numbers to the western shores of Europe, to perish by myriads in the Atlantic waves, possibly in search of the land which their ancestors had been wont to migrate for a million years.

Then, again, there is the more widely-known migration of the Norwegian lemmings, an event occurring about once in ten years. These curious little animals, very like our own field-mouse, but larger, with their hard black eyes, which seem to look always at objects above rather than those on their own level, are vegetarian in diet. Yet they are fierce little fighters, and will even attack a man if cornered. By their instructiveness and multiplicity they are a plague to the districts they invade, and every man's hand is against them. They infect the grass, and the cattle that partake of it are poisoned. In former times it was not unusual for the distracted farmers to send for a priest to exorcise them. In later days they have been trapped and hunted with dogs. But they are also the delight of the wild carnivora in their neighbourhood—weasels, foxes, and hawks all pursue them. Intensely sensitive, and alarmed at even a shadow, the approach of man and bear alike affrights them, and the merest trifle adds to their nervous terror. Yet they will brace themselves to meet the enemy, real or imaginary, with a bold front, pressing their little bodies in impotent anger against any stone, and roaring, with sharp little cries of rage, to face the attack.

The worse menace from the lemming comes when the creatures decide to migrate. Nothing checks their progress—when on the march; they are "invincible as an army with banners." They will scale hills and mountains and swim rivers and lakes; a host of poor little idealists on their way to a lost paradise, for the goal of their journey is sunk in the blind ocean.

Naturalists have put forth several theories as to the cause of these migrations—excessive multiplication, shortage of food, the approach of winter—all disproved. But the curious fact remains that swarms of lemmings turn their backs to the land and their faces westwards, to perish far out at sea. The sea is very shallow for a far-stretching space round those northern coasts of Norway.

Some suppose that there is sunken a portion of Atlantis, and through a deep fissure that cuts this higher sea-bottom off from Greenland it is believed the Gulf Stream used once to flow. To a warm and flowery land once familiar to their forefathers the resolute little pilgrims seek to make their way, imagining, perhaps, that the broad Atlantic is only another of the rivers and lakes they have already successfully navigated.

Poor things! One can fancy their disappointment when this ancestral memory of theirs has deluded them, and instead of swimming safe to land they find themselves, like the traveller who set out for Hy-Brasail, lost on the vast stretch of waters.

AUCTION BRIDGE.

Competition No. 3. Prize, £2 2s.

1. The prize will be awarded to the competitor who sends in the calls to the series of hands given below, which corresponds with, or approximate most closely to the results of play at "Palomar."

2. Every reply must be a SINGLE DEFINITE CALL. If any condition or limitation be added the reply will be disqualified.

3. One side only of a sheet of paper must be used.

4. All entries must be addressed to "Palomar," "Irish Times," Dublin, and must arrive not later than the first post on next Friday.

5. "Palomar's" decision on all points shall be accepted as final, and no correspondence will be entertained.

6. All entries must be accompanied by this article, which should be cut out.

Note.—A and B are partners against Y and Z. "Z" is always the dealer, and "A" is on his left.

Problem No. 1. Score: Love-all. "Z" deals and says No; "A" 1 Club; "Y" 1 Spade; "B" No; "Z" 2 Diamonds; "A" doubles; "Y" 2 Hearts. What should "B" say now holding H.Q,7,3,2; Cl. Q,3; D.8,7, 3,2; Sp.A,J,6?

Problem No. 2. Score: Game all, 16 all. "Z" declares 1 Heart; What should "A" say holding H.J; Cl.A,Q,10,3; D.A,Q,7,4; Sp.K,9,8,7?

Problem No. 3. Score: Love-all. "Z" calls 1 Heart; "A" 2 Diamonds. What should "Y" say holding H.K,J,7; Cl.K,10,8; D.A,Q; Sp.Q,J,9,8,3?

Problem No. 4. Score Rubber game, love-all. "Z" holds H.A,Q,5,4,2; Cl.8,4; D.9; Sp.A,Q,8,3,2; and bids 1 Spade; "A" 2 Clubs; "Y" 2 Diamonds; "B" No; "Z" 2 Hearts; "A" No; "Y" No; "B" 3 Clubs. What should "Z" say now?

Problem No. 5. Score: A B game and 20, Y Z game and 8. "Z" deals and calls 1 Heart; "A" No; "Y" No. What should "B" say holding H.A,8; Cl.Q,10,8,7; D.A,K,10,4; Sp.Q,7,6?

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RESULT OF COMPETITION NO. 2.

We have pleasure in announcing that the winner of Competition No. 2 is Brigadier-General D. Brady, Rath, Lismore, Co. Waterford.

THE PLAY.

Tricks.	Z.	A.	Y.	B.
1.	K D*	4 D.	8 D.	2.
2.	A D.*	7 D.	9 D.	3 D.
3.	10 D.	6 D.	Q D.	5 H.*
4.	2 S.	J S.*	4 S.	9 S.
5.	9 H.	5 H.	2 H.	J H.*
6.	3 S.	A S.*	7 S.	K S.
7.	5 D.	8 H.*	4 H.	7 H.
8.	8 S.	Q S.	10 S.	6 H.
9.	3 C.	4 C.	5 C.	J C.*
10.	10 C.	Q C.*	7 C.	6 C.
11.	8 S.	K C.*	8 C.	2 C.
12.	8 S.	A C.	Q H.	K H.*
13.	10 S.	9 D.	A H.*	10 H.

Tricks A and B, 10; Y and Z, 3.

The interesting situation in this hand arises at Trick 7. When "Z" refuses declarer can, at one more trump than "Y." Therefore, unless he disposes of one of his trumps, he must win Trick 11 in his own hand, and lead up to "Y," losing the last two tricks and failing to make game. When a declarer has one trump too many the play generally known as the *Grand Coup*—*i.e.*, the throwing away of a trump becomes necessary.

That is the position in which "B" finds himself, and the fact that his partner's cards are all winners does not affect the situation. "Y" may have two clubs and two spades, and be able to ruff the third club, but, even if that is so, the *Coup* which it may not gain cannot lose. Should declarer discard a club on the spade, "Y" if he be a sound player, will count the trumps and know that if he refuses to trump, declarer must ruff the 11th trick, and then lead up to the ace and queen of trumps. Should "Y" at Trick 7 play the ace of hearts, neither the result or the method of play is affected.

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

FINAL DAY AT NEWMARKET.

SICYON'S BRILLIANT PERFORMANCE.

TWO CLEVER TWO-YEAR-OLD WINNERS.

(FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.)

NEWMARKET, Friday Night.

The yearling sales concluded last night on rather a low note. Of the four from the Ballymacoll Stud only the half-sister to Solario Dennis was sold, Lord George Dundas taking her for 620 guineas. This was the highest price at the evening session.

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Malahide Plate—**Eagerloon** or **Dulcek**.
Portmarnock Plate—**Remember Me**.
Sutton Plate—**Bobbevist**; if absent, **Meira**.
Stewards' Plate—**Mr. Parkinson's selected**.
Metropolitan Plate—**Black Hall** or **Low Tide**.
Kilbester Plate—**Whitby Light**.

2.15—THE MALAHIDE PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1 m. 7f.

"REES HEATH (Mr. C. .. Kenrol ..... Age st. lb.
BOLSHEVIST (Mrs. Orsi) ..... McKenna 6 11 0
KNIGHT TEMPLAR (Mr. W. H. Dodd) ..... Cashe 4 11 0
SHOTMAKER (Mr. G. Pedcombe) ..... H. Harrison 5 10 5
KATHCOOLE (16th. ex.) (Mr. G. Quinn) ..... Doyle a 10 5
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Mr. Wraith's ch. f. O JULIA, by Charles O'Malley—Dilke. 8-0 ..... S. Bullock 1
Mr. Corrigan's SAN-UTAR. 8-7 ..... Leader 2
Lord Wavertree's WHITE BREAD. 8-0 E. Jones 3
Also ran—Santa Clara (H. Chaloner), Rosan (Wragg), Bachelor's Vow (M'Laughlan), Crusader's Pet (L. Bullock), Gleaniana (A. Walker), Strathtay (Jelliss), Skyecloud (Whalley), Wire Taster (E. Jones), Thracia (Brennan). (Winner trained by Crawford.)
Betting—9 to 4 agst. O JULIA, 7 to 2 White Bread, 4 to 1 Rosan, 6 to 1 San-Utar, 8 to 1 Strathtay, 20 to 1 Cer fire.
Won by half a length; three-quarters of a length.
1.30—**WATERBEACH** Handicap of £10 each, with £300 added. Last 6f. (7 ran).
Mr. S. Joel's c. SKYON, by Sunder—Folterrie, 4, 10-5 ..... Rickaby 1
Mr. Stedall's SHRI, 3-7-7 ..... McLachlan 2
Mr. Mackean's SOLDENNIS, 3-8-6 ..... B. Carslake 3
Mr. J. Gordon's Golden Arch, 4, 9-13 J. Childs 0
Lord Rosebery's Protester, 4, 9-7 ..... C. Elliott 0
Lord Westavington's Ishtar, 3-7-7 ..... Archibald 0
Mr. Cox Hoather's Horalena, 3-7-7 ..... G. Walsh 0
Mrs. Walker's Red Queen, 3-7-8 ..... H. Wragg 0
Mr. Jardine's Sweet Peggy, 3-7-0 ..... Spear 0
Capt. Hoadley's Leuretta, 3-7-0 ..... Robertson 0
Col. Charteris's Marky Past, 4, 9-0 8. ..... Berryman 0
Also ran—Winner Trained by De Mestre.)
Betting—11 to 10 agst. SKYON, 3 to 1 Soldennis, 5 to 1 each Shri, Golden Arch, and Sweet Peggy, 8 to 1 Protester, 10 to 1 each Mitchells, Mitrailleuse, Querida and Light Jester, 100 to 8 each Ishtar and Red Queen.
Won by three lengths; a length.

GALWAY MEETING,

Over the Ballybrit Course.

AUGUST 1st and 2nd.

FIRST DAY.

—**THE GALWAY PLATE** of 500 sovs., of the third 50 sovs. A handicap steeplechase of about two miles. (Amateurs). For the weights (July 6th, 10 a.m.) of a race value 80 sovs. 12lb. extra. 2m. and 200 yards.

BEN CRUCHAN (Mr. F. Barbour) ..... Age st. lb.
BARRON (Mr. Percy O'Reilly) ..... Walker a 12 7
MAX, Mrs. Cruise) ..... Walker a 12 7
KILREEN (Mr. E. L. Lloyd) Size a 12 7
KANOWNA (Lord Ormonde) ..... Walker a 11 7
GOLDEN REBEL (Mrs. Croft) ..... Arnott a 11 7
SOUTHERN ..... Aber. ..... Aber. ..... Aber.
MASKOS (Mr. O'Donovan) ..... Walker a 10 12
CLONSREEVES (Mr. J. F. Trevill) ..... Rickaby a 10 12
CARROLSTOWN (Mr. James McDonnell) ..... Hyde a 10 12
ROYAL EDGAR (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) ..... Moss a 10 12
BALLYMACRORY (Mr. J. J. Manning) ..... Over 5 10 0
ROYAL DUCK (Mr. T. Manning) ..... Owner 5 10 0
CLERMONT (Lord Mascel) ..... Graham 5 10 0
BRENDAN'S GLORY (Mr. J. Brabazon) ..... Owner a 10 0
SHAUN ARDO (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Walker a 10 2
KNIGHT OF GREENANE (Mr. J. Grubb) ..... Owner a 10 2
KYLE TIME (Mr. Orrock) ..... Parkinson a 10 0
CURRAGH PRINCE (Mr. Joe Wheelan) ..... Owner a 10 0
CLONARD (Mr. D. Quinlick) ..... Owner a 10 0
MISFIRE (Mr. R. M. Bourke) ..... Owner a 9 7
PRINCE OTTO (Mr. Jas. O'Rourke) ..... Owner a 9 7
BALLINODE (Mr. C. J. Beatty) ..... Owner a 9 7
ALCYONE (Mr. R. T. Bruton) ..... Kenny 6 9 7

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

London Cup—Eavor.
All engagements—The Wild Goose.

PHŒNIX PARK CLUB RACES

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

AUGUST 17th and 18th, 1923.

The following Races CLOSE ON WEDNESDAY NEXT, JULY 11th, with Mr. F. H. Clarke, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin.

FIRST DAY.

THE CLONSILLA PLATE of 300 sovs. A handicap flat race. Five furlongs.
THE ASHTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs. A selling handicap. Five furlongs.
THE GREENMOUNT PLATE of 100 sovs. Weight for age. One mile.
THE WHITEFIELDS PLATE of 100 sovs. For maidens two years old. Five furlongs.
THE JUMPERS' PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap. One mile over seven furlongs and a quarter.
THE PARK PLATE of 300 sovs.—(Closed.)

SECOND DAY.

THE BLANCHARDSTOWN PLATE of 300 sovs. Five furlongs.
THE KNOCKMARON PLATE of 100 sovs. Weight for age. Five furlongs.
THE CASTLEKNOCK PLATE of 100 sovs. A selling handicap. One mile.
THE SOMERTON PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap. Five furlongs.
THE COUNTRY PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap. One mile two furlongs and fifty yards.
THE PHŒNIX PLATE of 1,500 sovs. —(Closed.)
—(Advt.)

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THE DUNDRUM HANDICAP PLATE of 150 sovs. Almost seven furlongs.

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—(Advt.)

ATHLONE RACES,

TUESDAY, JULY 31, 1923.

ENTRIES CLOSE ON THE 11th JULY.

For particulars see "Racing Calendar."—(Advt.)

SELECTIONS FOR THIS DAY'S ALEXANDRA PARK MEETING.

PAPER.	1.15 RACE.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.45 RACE.	4.15 RACE.	4.45 RACE.
Sportsman	Hogg's selected.	Petty Cury.	Breeze; if ab., Elsie Maynard.	Wykeham.	Plas Newydd.	Retaliate.	Harry Tate.
Man on the Spot	Unal; if ab., Waterbuck.	Landorf; if ab., Long Corrie.	Vain Percy.	Dry Moat; if ab., Friar's Daughter	Laurie; Bart Snowball & Eaglehawk.	Bon Secour; if ab., Beleiss.	P. Newydd; if ab., Hark Forward.
Sporting Life	Scullion.	Martinique.	Rubber; if ab., Vivid colt	Dry Moat.	Thorndown.	Olive Belle.	Hark Forward.
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Daily Express	Scullion.	Long Corrie; if ab., Landorf.	Rubber; if ab., Cabbage	Mademoiselle M. (next best).	Bart Snowball.*	Crimson Sun; if ab., Bon Secour	Royal Hussar; if ab., Golly Eyes.
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Star	Scullion.	Long Corrie.*	Helsinova.	Dry Moat.	Tomahawk.	Crimson Sun.	Tibet.
Evening News	Scullion.	Speculator.	Vivid colt.*	Golden Knight.	Thorndown.	Belsize.	Hark Forward.*
Sporting Standard	Montcalm.	Lisagarren.	Breeze.	Dry Moat.	Bart Snowball.	Phat.	Mouse Trap.
[illegible]	Scullion.	Martinique.	Breeze.	Clover Club.	Bart Snowball.	Murray.	Golly Eyes.
[illegible]	Scullion.	Rivetter; if ab., Petty Cury.	Rubber.	Dossier.	Launzu.	Bon Secour.	Hark Forrard

ALEXANDRA PARK.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

The end of a successful week will come with a fixture most popular amongst Londoners, that of Alexandra Park, and, despite the peculiar nature of the track, the racing is always interesting there. Great pains have been taken to keep the going in first-class order, as, indeed, it is, considering the recent weather. The London Cup presents rather an open appearance, the following being a list of the

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS.

010 EAGLEHAWK (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen). ..... Jones 9-0
000 CORCYRIAN (Sir G. Murray) 4, 8-10 ..... H. Gray.
000 PALOMIDES (Mr. C. Leader), 6, 8-1 ..... B. Carslake.
000 LAUZUN (Mr. C. Boscawen), 4, 8-1 ..... J. Childs.
224 TOMAHAWK (Mr. Weil), 5, 8-0 ..... G. Walsh.
000 SUN CHARMER (Mrs. Heyburn), 4, 7-12 ..... Spear 0
414 WERWOLF (Mr. R. Jardine), 4, 7-12 ..... Jones 0
100b CRUSADER (Mr. Barclay) ..... P. Jones.
032 LORD OF BURGHLEY (Mr. Barclay) ..... Jones.
010 PLAS NEWYDD (Lord Woivreton), 4, 7-6 ..... E. Morris
011 MILEWATER (Mr. Miller), 4, 7-6 ..... G. Hulme.
000 THORNDOWN (Mrs. R. Dawson), 4, 7-6 ..... G. Hulme.
021 BART SNOWBALL (Mr. Miller), 5, 7-5 ..... G. Hulme.
200 TREVISO (Col. Story), 4, 7-5 ..... R. Jones.
284 HATCHFORD (Sir H. Samuelson), 3, 7-5 ..... Jones.
100 RED ROCK (Mr. Ramsden), 4, 6-13 C. Smirke.
000 PONTELAND (Mr. C. Watson), 6, 6-8 ..... A. Sirrett.
Plas Newydd, I have no doubt, will start a good favourite. I rate his chance very highly, for the win over this distance at Chester suggests that he can negotiate the turns. The danger I take to be Lord of Burghley and Thorndown. The first-named has been running forward of late, and must have a big chance, but I fear he is not always inclined to do his best, and I prefer Thorndown, who ran well at Ascot behind Lord Tor. Sun Charmer may create a surprise, and I have reason to believe that he is quite well fancied, while that old pair, Palomides, will usually consent to do his best on the course. I think, however, that the issue lies between Plas Newydd and Thorndown, and suggest that the latter each way may be the best investment. Selections :—

Maiden Three-Year-Old Stakes—**Castille.**
Tottenham Selling Plate—**Petty Cury.**
Juvenile Selling Plate—**Elsie Maynard.**
Regent Plate—**Wykeham.**
London Cup—**Thorndown.**
July Handicap—**Bon Secour.**
Hornsey Plate—**Harry Tate.**

1.15—**THREE-YEAR-OLD STAKES** of £25 each, with £200 added. 1¼ m.

010 DINKIE (Mr. Jeffery) ..... Earl 9 5
000 [illegible] (Mr. Dewsnap) ..... Leader 9 2
000 SCHOLTON (Mr. F. Hardy) ..... Rochfort 9 2
000 MARCH (Mr. Bedwell) ..... Rogers 9 2
000 CASTILLE (Lady Cunliffe-Owen) ..... Evans 1
000 [illegible] (Mr. Gregson) ..... Jones 1
044 HARD BATTLE (Mr. F. Hardy) ..... Young 8 7
025 BLUE CHEVIOT (Mr. F. Hardy) ..... Young 8 7
000 [illegible] (Mr. Darling) ..... Darling 8 7
000 BROWN MAGIC (Mr. Darling) ..... Darling 8 7
000 [illegible] (Mr. Darling) ..... Darling 8 7
000 WHITE DRAUGHT (Mr. Darling) ..... Darling 8 7
45 UNAI (Mr. Hartigan) ..... Hyams 8 4
000 HARLADY (Mr. Hogg) ..... M. Hartigan 8 4
000 MONTCALM (Mr. Holiday) ..... H. Jarvis 8 4
000 [illegible] (Mr. Holiday) ..... H. Jarvis 8 4
000 SANS GUERRE (Mrs. [illegible]) ..... Clement 8 4

2.0—**TOTTENHAM SELLING PLATE** of £200. 1 m., 150 yards.

0 DUNDONALD (Mr. Bennett) ..... Bennett 5 9 0
000 CORMAC CORRIE (Mr. H. Collins) ..... Bennett 5 9 0
000 KILWINNING (Mr. Moore) ..... McKenna 5 9 0
000 BRUFF BRIDGE (Mrs. Moore) ..... McKenna 5 9 0
000 RIVETTER (Mr. Parker) ..... Poole 7 9 0
000 [illegible] (Mr. Shaw) ..... Bennett 5 9 0
310 LANDORF (Mr. Thorpe) ..... Bennett 8 9 0
000 [illegible] (Mr. Thornton) ..... Wootton 8 9 0
000 LADY SHIMMER (Mr. Butchers) ..... J. T. Dodd 5 9
000 MELEACADE (Mrs. Trulsworth) ..... Sadler 5 8 11
301 MARTINIQUE (Mr. Bassett) ..... H. Gray 5 8 11
040 PETTY CURY (Mr. T. Hartigan) ..... F. Hartigan 5 8 11
010 BURLY (Mr. Phillips) ..... Kemp 5 8 11
0 WATERFORD (Mr. M. Rhodes) ..... Poole 7 8 11

2.30—**JUVENILE SELLING PLATE** of £200. 5f.

000 MAINGAFF (Ld. Glanely) ..... M. Rhodes 3 8 2
000 [illegible] (Mr. Goodman) ..... Smyth 3 7 13
000 WOOTTON'S PLACE (Mr. Bingham) ..... M. March 2 7 13
000 [illegible] (Mr. Goodman) ..... Smyth 3 7 13

2.30—**JUVENILE SELLING PLATE** of £200. 5f.

000 HAMPTONIAN (Mr. Arkwright) ..... Penzer 9 0
CARNEGIE (Mr. Rickaby) ..... Rickaby 9 0
KIN PERCY (Mr. Beachey) ..... Fawcett 9 0
373 [illegible] (Mr. Bewicke) ..... C. Owen 9 0
COAT OF ARMS (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) ..... Beatty 9 0
SCHOLTON (Mr. F. Hardy) ..... Young 9 0
0 BURFORD (Mr. Thornton) ..... Bristol 9 0
012 [illegible] LEGION (Mrs. C. Gordon) ..... Bristol 9 0
000 DUPLICATE (Mr. F. Hardy) ..... Young 9 0
0 VIVID C (Mr. Hogg) ..... Hogg 9 0
000 [illegible] (Mr. Ivanson) ..... Nightingall 9 0
000 ECSTASY (Mr. Sadler) ..... Sadler 9 0
000 [illegible] (Mr. Bassett) ..... H. Gray 9 0
000 MISS KENNARD (Mr. Brown) ..... Barry 9 0
HELVIA (Sir W. Cooke) ..... W. Martin 8 11
000 POTENTILLA (Mr. Pratt) ..... Pratt 8 11
000 [illegible] (Mr. H. Daniels) ..... Cottrill 8 11
000 PAXFORD (Mr. Dickson) ..... Bristol 8 11
000 [illegible] (Mr. Dickson) ..... Bristol 8 11
000 CHICA (Ld. Glanely) ..... Peace 8 11
000 [illegible] (Ld. Glanely) ..... C. Marsh 8 11
0 WESTACRE (Mr. Johnstone) ..... C. Marsh 8 11
0 [illegible] (Mr. Johnstone) ..... Wootton 8 11
000 PHLOX (Mr. Johnstone) ..... Wootton 8 11
000 [illegible] (Mr. R. McAlpine) ..... Langsdale 8 11
031 JINGO (Mr. R. McAlpine) ..... Langsdale 8 11
000 BREEZE (Mr. Pratt) ..... J. Rhodes 8 11
000 [illegible] (Mr. Pratt) ..... J. Rhodes 8 11
000 MYDUSA (Mr. M. Rhodes) ..... G. Bell 8 11
012 [illegible] (Mr. M. Rhodes) ..... M. Rhodes 8 11
131 CARRAGE (Mr. Pine) ..... Pine 8 11
000 [illegible] (Mr. Thornbrick) ..... Cottrill 8 11
201 PALM BRANCH (Mr. Thornbrick) ..... Cottrill 8 11
000 [illegible] (Mr. Elsie) ..... Whitaker 8 11
000 ELSIE MAYNARD (Mr. Wilson) ..... C. Owen 8 11

3.0—**REGENT T.Y.O. PLATE** of £200. 5f.

01 SCANDALOUS (Mr. Dickson) ..... Bristol 8 12
215 LADY DARE (Mrs. Whitbourn) ..... Cottrill 8 12
213 [illegible] (Mr. Whitbourn) ..... Cottrill 8 12
400 WILLIAMINA (Mr. Kindell) ..... Leach 8 12
000 GRACEFUL GAY (Mr. Bostell) ..... Bostell 8 12
200 DUCKY JENNY (Mr. Bostell) ..... Earl 8 12
211 PINAFORE (Mr. Bostell) ..... Earl 8 12
117 TUTANKHAMEN (Mr. Bostell) ..... Whitaker 8 9
11 CLOVER CLUB (Mr. Sattle) ..... R. W. Collins 8 9
834 FRIAR'S DAUGHTER (Lea Hall) ..... Medder 8 9
201 LACEMAKER (Mrs. Burrows) ..... E. Dawson 8 9
000 [illegible] (Mr. Bostell) ..... E. Dawson 8 9
011 DOSSIER (Mr. E. Hudson) ..... Leader 8 9
000 [illegible] (Mr. E. Hudson) ..... Leader 8 9
204 GOLDEN KNIGHT (Mr. Neville) ..... R. Day 8 7
000 [illegible] (Mr. Hatcliffe) ..... Darling 8 7
130 LEVANA (Mr. Stewart) ..... A. Smith 8 7
000 [illegible] (Mr. Stewart) ..... Darling 8 7
1 WYKEHAM (Mr. Bostell) ..... A. Smith 8 7
221 HERHAPS 50 (Lady Nunburnholme) ..... Collins 8 4
000 DEEP MOAT (Mr. Cottrill) ..... Rochfort 8 4
0 DUSKY BELLE (Mr. Sadler) ..... Sadler 8 4
040 NAPLES (Mr. Phillips) ..... Easterbee 8 4
000 [illegible] (Mr. Phillips) ..... Kemp 8 4
000 AMPHORA (Mr. Gilbert) ..... MacColl 8 4
000 [illegible] (Mr. Miller) ..... Bell 8 4
000 MERRY MAIDEN (Mr. Bostell) ..... Escott 8 4
000 [illegible] (Mr. Bostell) ..... Swan Bewicke 8 4
Walker ..... Howard 8 4
240 IMPERIOUS (Mr. Whitbourn) ..... Leach 8 4
000 CAMPIO (Mr. Whitbourn) ..... Cottrill 8 4
000 [illegible] (Mr. Sexton) ..... Pickering 8 4
242 HIS LORDSHIP (Mr. Sexton) ..... Pickering 8 4
000 CREDARIUS'S PET (Mr. Bailey) ..... Bailey 8 4
000 [illegible] (Mr. Bailey) ..... Bailey 8 4
000 SPEAR (Mr. Corrigan) ..... S. Darling 8 4
000 [illegible] (Mr. Corrigan) ..... S. Darling 8 4
04 MISS ELEGANCE (Mr. Dixon) ..... Bristol 8 4
000 [illegible] (Mr. Dixon) ..... Bristol 8 4
JENNIE WISE G. (Mr. Fitzgerald) ..... Mason 8 4
0 MOVIE (Mr. Gage) ..... Earl 8 0
000 GRANDPARENTS (Ld. Glanely) ..... C. Marsh 8 0
202 STRONSAY (Ld. Glanely) ..... C. Marsh 8 0
000 [illegible] (Mr. Hall) ..... Hall 8 0
0 JOE JUNIOR (Mr. Hall) ..... Hall 8 0
000 [illegible] (Mr. Hall) ..... Hall 8 0
0 AMETHYNNE LADY (Mr. Vanbenholme) ..... Private 8 0
004 MADEMOISELLE M. (Mr. Page) ..... Rochfort 8 0
0 SUNDAL (Mr. Page) ..... Duller 8 0
000 [illegible] (Mr. Page) ..... Duller 8 0
000 LOVE LETTER II. (Mr. St. Alary) ..... Griffith 8 0
000 [illegible] (Mr. Steel) ..... Private 8 0
000 BLOSSOM (Mr. Waller) ..... Private 8 0
000 [illegible] (Mr. Whitbourn) ..... Cottrill 8 0
CHAT MOSS F. (Lady Randolph) ..... W. Nightingall 8 0

3.45—**LONDON CUP** (handicap) of £10 each, with £1,000 added. 1¼ m.

(FOR PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS SEE TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.)

4.15—**JULY HANDICAP** of £4 each, with £200 added. 5f.

211 OLIVE BELLE (12lb. ex.) (Capt. Bewicke) ..... Capt. Bewicke 5 9 11
224 BELSIZE (Mr. Shaw) ..... Bennett 5 9 6
103 PHAT (Mr. R. Joel) ..... Bennett 5 9 6
243 BON SECOUR (Mr. Barnett) ..... De Mestre 4 8 13
000 FORDINGBRIDGE (Sir C. Eade) ..... Wootton 4 8 10
030 MULLEIN (Ld. Lascelles) ..... Scobie 4 8 7
000 BLARNEY STONE (Mr. Langlands) ..... C. Leader 4 8 7
000 MURRAY (Mr. R. Dawson) ..... Langlands 6 8 3
000 VESPERS (Sir W. Cooke) ..... E. Pratt 5 8 3
000 PEGGY (Mr. Baumber) ..... Platt 5 8 3
410 ORANGE RIVER (Mr. Hartley) ..... Martin 5 8 3
010 DETRIMENTAL (Sir R. Jardine) ..... O Bell 5 7 11
000 ANCHORSHOLME (Mr. H. Wragg) ..... W. Waugh 5 7 10
Coldbeck 4 7 8
400 HAPPY SALLY (Mr. Luscombe) ..... Coldbeck 4 7 8
230 BATTL

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

DUBLIN.

DEARER MONEY CAUSES FURTHER RELAPSE. WAR FIVES UNDER 100. CONSOLS WELL OVER LOWEST. GUINNESS BETTER. CITY STEAM AND CORK ELECTRICS STRONG. TEXTILES AN DTOBACCOS DECLINE. OIL RALLY.

The advance in the official value of money, despite its anticipation for some time past, influenced a further batch of considerable realisations in nearly all classes of Securities, and as investors have drawn off for the time being to watch the effect on the markets, quotations slipped back somewhat sharply, and this change in the trend of prices was particularly noticeable in Government Funds, and cognate securities, as in these particular departments, cheap money had for the past year played an important part in determining the favourable tendency with which all are familiar. The Funds fell smartly in the absence of support, except at concessions. War Fives ceased under 100; Consols finally rallied. Banks were weak and on offer, with Bank Stock and Nationals under further sale pressure. Royals held firm. Guinness Ord. rallied at opening from the previous day's weakness, but later came on offer again. City Steam was well disposed, with all stock offered freely taken, but Marconi Ord. were dull all day. Sellers of Home Rails were not very active, but there was mostly a full supply of stock. Cork Electric Trams issues advanced strongly. Drapery issues were again mostly in favour. Tobaccos and Textiles fell back 6d. to 1s. 3d., and the fall will not hurt the intrinsic position, and the "shake out" will do the market good. Burke Shares issues were on offer, but the Debs. rose further. Oils were on firmer ground.

The Funds were again flat. Consols fell ⅛ to 57¼, and then rebounded to 57⅜; War Loan 5 p.c. ⅛ to 100⅛ 99⅛, ditto 4 p.c. ½ to 1⅝. Conversion 3½ p.c., 1½ to 77½, and Irish Land 3 p.c. 1¼ to 66.

Banks closed sellers. Bank Stock fell 1¼ to 243, and Nationals ⅜ to 19½ ⅝ nominally. Royals were firm at 13½.

In Breweries, Guinness issues alone quoted. The Ord. recovered 1s. to 36s., with a subsequent set-back to 35½, and the Pref. were again supported at 12½.

City Steam rose 1 to 139½ 140.

Marconi Ord. fell 9d. to 45s. 9d., 45s. 3d.

As regards Home Rails, Great Southern fell ½ to 49½, and the Debs. 1¼ to 71. Great Northern repeated 64, and Midland Great Western 36½, but the 4½ p.c. Debs. of the latter company fell ⅛ to 70. Great Western of England fell ¼ to 112.

In Trams, Cork Electric Pref. rose 7s. 4½d. to 80s., and the 4 p.c. Debs. 3½ to 50 (or in odd lots).

In Drapery Shares, Pim Bros. 4 p.c. Debs. rose 1 to 85 ineffectually bid, and Switzer Pref. to 80s., while Todd Burns Pref. repeated 16s., and Arnotts Pref. again eased 7½ 6d., 7os. 9d., nominally.

Manufacturing Shares were pretty nearly all weaker. British-American Tobacco fell 1s. 9d. to 97s. 9d., and Imperials 1s. 4½d. to 69s. 6d. Coates repeated 66s., and Pref. 66s. 3d. Cottons 6d. to 50s. 6d., Courtaulds 9d. to 64s. 9d., and Spinners 9d. to 46s., but Calico Ptg. rose 3d. to 18s. 3d., and Cotton Pref. 7½d to 20s. 3d.

In Trams, etc., E. and J. Burke Ord. fell 2s. ½ 68s., and the Pref. 1s. to 77s., while the Debs. rose ½ to 84 9. Hugh Moore and Alexanders Pref. fell 8d. to 55s. Irish Times Ord. were firm at 14s. 6d., Small.

Shell Transports rose 1s. to 74s. 9d., and Mexican Eagles were called 19s. 4½d. 19s. 7½d. respectively.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.

Transactions for cash marked "."

Consols	57⅛	Cork Trams Pref.	
5% War Loan(1929-47)	100⅛	(57/7½)	80/-
" " (1947)	99⅛	'Do. Deb. ..... (46⅛)	*50
4% War Loan(1925)	100⅛	Switzer Pref. ..... (75/-)	80/-
Conver. Loan 3½ p.c.	77½	Do. Deb. ..... (66)	87/6
3½ Land Act	(55½)	64 B.A.T. ..... (99/6)	97/9
Bank of Ireland	244½	(243) Do. Deb. ..... (97/7)	98/6
"	244½	243½ Calico Pref. (18/-)	*18/3
National	(15)	19⅜ Do. Cons. (68/7½)	68⅞ 8/3
Dry Secondary		12½ Do. Deb. ..... (85)	85
Marconi	(45)	45⅜ Do. Pref. ..... (19/4½)	20/-
Do. Ord.	(45½)	45⅜ Do. Deb. ..... (82)	84 9
G.S.W. Ord.	(69)	49½ Moore (High) Pref.	
Do. Deb.	(72½)	71	
Great Northern		65½	
M.G.W. Ord.		*35½	
Do. 4½ p.c.		70	

*Odd lots; b bid, a asked.

(Last three done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANK RATE.

Discount ..... 5 p.c. 5th July, 1923.
Deposit ..... 2 p.c. 5th July, 1923.

STOCK XCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining: ending day ..... July 10 | July 24
General stocks: ending day ..... July 10 | July 25
Ticket days ..... July 11 | July 25
Account ty ..... July 12 | July 26

BELFAST.

Belfast Stock Exchange closed the week with a small amount of business. War Loan dealt in at 101, 100, 99⅞, 100; Victory Bonds 93⅞, Conversion Loan 77½. Belfast and Co. Down Railway 4 p.c. Pref. repeated 30. Belfast Ropework Company unchanged at 40. Coats "B" Pref. repeated 24s. 1½d. Linen Thread low 41s. 10½d. Dunville 13½, a drop of ½. Robertson, Ledlie and Ferguson 8½. Irish Aluminium Thread 97s. And Imperials 67s. 6d. Ulster Spinning 43s. 10½d. Coats 6 p.c. Pref. 11. Local Loans 65½.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESSDONE AT LONDON Commercial Union, 24½, 25, 24½. Royal, 84½, 85. Employers' Liability, 35/6, 6, 4/-. General Accident, 64, 64½. London Guarantee, 4½. Law Union & Rock, 84½, ⅝, 84. Re-Insurance, 20/6, 19/7½, 20/-. Royal, 23½, ½, ⅓. Scottish Union, 6, 6½, 6.

BUSINESSDONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance (New), 27/6, 6, 28/-. Alliance & Dragon, 13/6. Caledonian, 154. London Assurance, 84½. Motor Union, 7½, ⅝, ¾. Cum.-Pref. (x.d.) 19½. North British & Mercantile, 69, ½, 68½. Phœnix, 47. Pelican, 11½. Royal Insurance, 23½, ½, ⅓. Do. 4 p.c. Deb. Stock (x.d.), 90½.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

The dividend-declaration of the Provincial Bank of Ireland is earlier than passing interest, in view of the different rates of income tax imposed on English and Irish shareholders. The directors have declared lower dividend, 10s per cent, per annum, as against 12s per cent. annum, but the latter is paid free of income tax, whereas last year it was free of income tax, by reason of payment of a slightly higher yield to the shareholder, as at the same time the method of paying the dividend leaves a shareholder to deal with a straight sevenths in his tax return with the income tax paid, whether it is in England or Ireland, or in the Colony in which a shareholder may reside. A shareholder who is not liable to full rate, has no difficulty in getting the tax paid by the bank on his dividend return for the claims department, the officials of which are always most courteous in assisting those having difficulty in properly presenting the claim.

Whether these standard of money value now established by the Bank of England rate acts as a corrective to the London New York Exchanges remains to determine. It depends to a certain extent on the situation in the United States and how the New York Federal Reserve Bank rate was advanced in order to purify the financial position their sterling exchanges. The effect so powerful sentimentalist the debt scheme settlement has apparently worked completely.

How dearer money is likely to affect industrial recuperation is a question arising from the higher rate of discount. Although not all the "sunshine talk" has been upon the mental control trade has certainly been of a helpful character to the extent that might have been expected in the circumstances, and as we must look to its course of trade, the question was settled and Europe given a fair start straight. European trade will be as potent as the money political chaos has been a most unfortunate factor in the dearer cost of finance if Trade can stay the course, look to it for the politics will quiet.

The transfer books of the Bank of Ireland Stock will be closed on Thursday, 12th instant, for the purpose of preparing an interim dividend. Transfers may be lodged on or after 13th instant.

The transfer books of Parker's Burslem Brewery Ord. and Pref. Stocks will be closed from the 16th to the 30th inst., both days inclusive.

The transfer books of the Dublin and South Eastern Railway Ord. and Pref. Stocks will be closed on and from 20th July to and including 20th July.

COMPANY NOTICES.

DUBLIN AND SOUTH-EASTERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice is here given that the Books of this Company will be closed against the Registration of Transfers of [illegible] Ordinary Stock and Preference Stock [illegible] from the 17th July to and including 30th July, 1923.

By Order of the Board,
J. GRIFFITH, Secretary.

Secretary's Office, Dublin.
Westland row,
6th July, 1923.

PARKER'S BURSLEM BREWERY, LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Ordinary and Preference Shares of this Company will be closed from the 16th inst. to the 30th, inst., both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
Dated Burslem, 5th July, 1923. COWLISHAW, Secretary.

STOCKS DEPRESSED.

QUOTATIONS STILL TUMBLING.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT AND THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

The Stock markets continued in a very depressed state. Gilt-edged stocks and Foreign Government Bonds were particularly weak, and prices, more especially the latter, ruled more or less nominal. Operations found it exceedingly difficult to deal in them with any satisfaction. Quotations tumbled further in all directions. Apart from the effect of "bear" operations and the natural adjustment of prices in relation to the higher level of money value, the downward trend was precipitated by continued Continental and American selling of investment securities. This liquidation had a pronounced effect upon the whole of the Gilt-edged market, in which all stocks opened weak, remained so all day, and closed at about their worst. In point of weakness there was little to choose between any of the market leaders. Local Loans certainly registered the biggest decline, but the remainder of the list practically vied with each other in falls of ⅜ to 1. India stocks followed the same lent, although the 7 per cents. were exceptional in being unchanged.

LONDON STOCKS WEAK.

GENERAL FALL IN PRICES.

The Stock markets showed continued weakness, the re-adjustment of values, brought about by the change in the Bank rate, producing a little liquidation. The latter was of not in proportion to the falls recorded, but there was a disinclination on the part of dealers to take stock. The tone improved slightly as the close, but there was no material recovery in prices. Gilt-edged securities were generally lower, and, although they recovered slightly during the afternoon, prices showed considerable losses on the day. British Funds were nearly all marked down. Conversions at 77 showed a loss of 1½, and Consols at 56½ had a similar fall. War Loan 5 per cent. lost ½ to 99⅞, and the 3½ per cent. at 85½ also receded ½. Funding Loan fell 1½ to 89, and Victory Bonds, Irish Land 2½, India 3 per cents., 3½ per cents., and 7 per cent. all showed loss of a point. India 5½ per cent. shed ½, and 5½ per cent. Treasury Bonds also fell ½. War Loan 4 per cents. eased ½, but the 4½ per cent. maintained its price at 96. Local Loans were 2 weaker at 64½. The Colonial list also showed a number of declines; Canada 4 per cent. (1940-60) fell 2, and Cape 3½ per cent., Canada 4½ per cent. (1920-25), New Zealand 4 per cent., and South Australia 5½ per cent. were a point easier. Nigeria 6 per cent. had a drop of 4 to 110. New South Wales 6½ per cent. (1930-40), on the other hand, were in demand, and showed a rise of 2 to 106 ex div.

In the FOREIGN GOVERNMENT list, declines of a moderate amount were general. Brazilian and Chinese issues were usually a point lower. Czecho-Slovakian Bonds lost a point, and Italian Rentes also closed lower. Argentine Loans 5 per cent. at 95 showed a decline of ½, while the 4 per cent. were ½ below the previous price. Peruvian Pref. and Portuguese 3 per cent. shed ½ each.

Except in the case of Metropolitan and Metropolitan District, which fell 3½ and 2½ respectively, and London Midland and Scottish Ord., which receded 2, losses did not exceed an average among HOME RAILS; extinguishing declines generally distributed throughout the market. London Midland and Scottish Ord. and 4 per cent. Pref., London and North-Eastern 1st and 2nd Prefs., Southern Def. Ord. and 4 per cent. Pref., 1 and Trunk 4 per cent. Guaranteed lost ½. "Leos" fell a point, and several losses of ¼ were marked.

OIL SHARES MORE CHEERFUL.

RISES IN THE LEADERS.

A cheerful tendency prevailed in the Oil share market yesterday, and, although active attention was confined to a few specialities, the volume of business transacted was considered satisfactory under existing conditions. This section, in fact, compared favourably with other departments of the "House," and, taken as a whole, the tone was steady. Chief attention again centred on Mexican Eagles, which, opening at the overnight level, met with a continued demand, to which the price responded, and, despite a set-back at one period of the day, fresh buyers came forward, and the final price, which was the best of the day, showed a further appreciable improvement. The two Preference issues moved up in sympathy. As regards other leading counters, Shells were firm throughout the day, a small gain being finally recorded; while Royal Dutch, although quiet, left off without alteration. Anglo-Persians were bid for at an advance during the early hours, but slipped back rather sharply in the afternoon, and Burmahs moved in like fashion. The rest of the market presented little of outstanding interest, the price movements resulting from the day's business being of a slight and irregular character. Closing prices:—

Agwi Petroleum		1⅛	1⅜
Anglo-Egyptian		1⅛	1⅜
Anglo-Ecuadorian		¼	⅜
Anglo-Egyptian "B"		⅛	1/4d
Anglo-Persian		4⅜	4½
Do. 5 p.c. Conv. Pref.		74½	74⅝
Do. Ord. Issued £4 p.c.		4⅜	4½
Do. 5 p.c. Deb.		72	72½
Apex Trinidad		2/6	2/9
Asiatic Petroleum Pref. (10/-)		1⅜	1½
British Burmah (6/-)		8/6	8/9
British Controlled		8/10½	9/-
Do. Pref.		6⅞	7⅛
Burmah		4⅜	4½
Do. 5 p.c. Pref.		72	73
Caltex		2⅛	2⅜
Dacia Rom.		⅛	¼
Do. 7 p.c. Notes		98	100xd
Deaker		100xd	101xd
General Pet. Trinidad		1/3	1/6
Lobitos		1/3	1/6
Mexican Eagle		19/-	19/6
Do. Pref.		19/-	19/6
Premier Oil		2/3	2/6
Rumanian Consolidated		1/9	2/-
Royal Dutch		23½	23¾
Scottish American		1/3	1/6
Shell Transport		3/9	3/10½
Do. 6 p.c. Pref. (£10)		10½	10⅝
Trinidad Petroleum Ord.		6/6	6/9
Do. 5 p.c. Pref.		23/6	23/9
Spies (10/-)		3/9	3/9
Steaua Romana		2⅜	2½
Tankers Pref.		6/10½	7/1½
Trinidad Central		⅞	⅞
Trinidad Leases		1⅜	1⅝
United Brit. Trinidad		8/3	8/6
Do. Pref.			
Uroa Oil		4/10½	5/-
V.O.C. Holdings		1⅛	1⅜
Do. 7 p.c. Pref.		1⅛	1⅜

RAND MINE PROFITS FOR JUNE.

City Deep, £55,226 (£54,913); Consolidated Main R., £53,569 (£15,376); Crown Mines, £83,157 (£79,665); Durban R. Deep, £5,054 (£5,020); East Rand Prop., £1,569 (£76); Ferreira Deep, £6,013 (£5,784); Geldenhuis Deep, £1,719 (£1,735); Knight Central, £1,745 (£2,084); Modderfontein, £72,176 (£74,527); Modderfontein East, £19,176 (£15,005); New Modderfontein, £140,566 (£152,760); Nourse Mines, £7,565 (£8,311); Robinson Gold, £24,105 (£4,563); Rose Deep, £10,503 (£9,888); Village Deep, £11,508 (£11,441); Wolhuter, £5,106 (£5,071); Geduld Proprietary, £41,804 (£37,344); Modderfontein Deep, £83,468 (£65,472)—Loss. (May profits given in parentheses.) Notes—Consolidated Main Reef—Accident to winding engine reported. It is responsible for loss of tonnages and profit. Repairs have been effected, and operations now normal. General—The valuation of gold has been taken at £4 5/- per fine ounce, less 2/- for exchange and realisation charges. Results generally have been affected by shortage of native labour.

Indian Mines—Balaghat, yield 3,001 ozs.; Nandydrong, 5,467 ozs.; Mysore, 10,054 ozs.; Chotdhar Reef, 6,976 ozs.; Goregaon, 5,207 ozs.

Government Areas—Estimated profit, £147,717; Langlaagte Estate, £50,871; New Primrose, £42,394; New Unified, £364; Randfontein Central, £40,068; Van Ryn Deep, £61,084. Wright-Hargreaves—Note—New Shaft Areas—During May and June 52,000 tons were crushed and 1,768 ozs. of gold recovered. For the purpose of tuning up the new plant only the grade ore was milled, as most of the gold is initially hung up in the tube mills. Plant now getting into order, and the position steadily improving. The new Unified Main Reef Gold Mining Co., Ltd., has ceased operations.

Brakpan—Profit, £47,054. Sorghos Mines, £45,213; Transvaal Gold Mining Estates, £3,305; Glynn's Lydenburg, £587; Golden Horseshoe Estates, £4455.

OIL REPORT.

Mexican Eagle Oil Company.—The London financial agents are advised that the production of this company during June 30, 1923, was 147,000 barrels.

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up as an earlier hour than, and may, therefore vary to some extent from, those given in our commercial [illegible].

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols ..... 57-57⅛ | 3½ % Conv. Ln. 78-77⅞
War Ln. 5% ..... 99⅞-99⅝ | Irish Land 2½ 66-65
do. 4½ % ..... 97½-97⅜ | India 3 % 57½-57⅜
do. 4 % ..... 99⅛-99 | do. 3½ % 57-56⅞
do. 4 % Treas. Bonds ..... 100-99⅞ | do. 5½ % 100-99⅞
Funding Ln. ..... 89⅛-88⅞ | Local Loans 64-63
Victory Bds. ..... 94⅛-93⅞ | Sudan 5½ p.c. 105-104

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Alberta 4½ (1942) ..... 85-83 | Nigeria 6% 110-109
Aust. Com. 5½ ..... 99-101 | Q'land 4 (1950-60) 85-83
do. 5% ..... 105-107 | do. 5½ (1940-70) 105-107
Brit. Col. 4½ (1941) ..... 91-93 | do. 6% (1920-40) 102-104
Canada 4% ..... 92-90 | S. Africa 4% Cns 94-92
do. 4½ (1940-60) ..... 90-100 | do. 4½ 105-107
Cape 3½ Cons. ..... 59-61 | S.A. 3½% (1945-65) 57-59
Ceylon 4 ..... 107-97 | do. 5½ % 103-104
Natal 5% ..... 99-97 | do. 6% 107-108
N.S.W. 4% (1935-7 ..... 90-92 | Victoria 4% 88-87
do. 5½ (1957-72) ..... 101-103 | W. Aust. 4½ % (1942-72) 90-92
do. 6% (1930-40) ..... 105-107½ | do. 5½ (1929-49) 102-104
N. Zeal. 4½, '29 ..... 91-94-½

FOREIGN BONDS.

Argentine, 1886 ..... 96 | 100*
do. Recognition ..... 96 | 98*
Do. 5 p.c. 1909 ..... 93 | 97
do. 5 p.c. 1886 ..... 93 | 97
Do. Funding, 1908 ..... 92 | 94
Do. 5 p.c. 1914 ..... 92 | 94
Chinese 4 p.c., 1895 ..... 30 | 32
Do. 5 p.c., 1898 ..... 30 | 32
Do. 5 p.c. Gold ..... 30 | 32
Czecho-Slovakia Bonds ..... 91 | 93
Egyptian Unified ..... 93½ | 95½
French Bonds ..... 73½ | 75½
Do. 4 p.c. ..... 73 | 75
Do. 5 p.c. Perp. Deb. ..... 73 | 75
Italian Rentes ..... 18 | 21*
Japan ..... 104 | 106
Mexican, 1899 ..... 18 | 21
Do. 5 p.c., 1904 ..... 18 | 21
Do. New 5 p.c., 1907 ..... 18 | 21
Do. 4 p.c. Gold, 1910 ..... 18 | 21
Do. 5 p.c. 10-Y. Treas. ..... 18 | 21
Peruvian Corporation ..... 26½ | 27½
Do. Pref. ..... 26½ | 27½
Portuguese 3 p.c. ..... 16 | 18
Do. 4 p.c. ..... 16 | 18
San Paulo 8 p.c. ..... 102 | 104*
Do. 5 p.c. ..... 102 | 104*
Uruguay 5½ p.c. ..... 85 | 86

BANKS.

Agricultural of Egypt ..... 6 | 6⅝-⅛
Anglo-South American ..... 4 | 4⅛
Anglo-Italian ..... 3 | 3⅛
Bank of New South Wales ..... 13 | 13½
Bank of New Zealand ..... 3 | 3⅛
Barclays ..... 27½ | 27⅝
Bank of Foreign Trade ..... 2 | 2½
British Overseas ..... 2½ | 2⅝
Canadian ..... 19½ | 20
Chartered of India ..... 2 | 2⅛
Hong Kong ..... 17 | 18
Ionian ..... 21/0 | 22/3-0/3
London and Brazilian ..... 4 | 4½
London and Ribplate ..... 7 | 7½
National Discount ..... 5 | 5½
National Prov. (£4 p.) ..... 11½ | 12
Bank of Roumania ..... 1 | 1⅛
Standard South Africa ..... 11 | 11½
Union of London ..... 7 | 7½
Westminster Bank ..... 14 | 15

TELEGRAPHS.

Anglo-American Def. ..... 23½ | 24⅜
Brazilian Submarine ..... 27½ | 28
Do. Pref. ..... 97 | 98
Cuba ..... 102 | 104
Do. Deferred ..... 6/0 | 8/0
Do. Canada ..... 8/0 | 9/0-0½
Original Mexican ..... 2½ | 2⅝
Radio Corporation ..... 12/0 | 13/0 + 0/3
Do. Pref. ..... 12/0 | 13/0

MISCELLANEOUS.

Aboukir Land ..... 24/0 | 24/0
Aerated Bread ..... 21/6 | 21/9
Africa Direct Trds. ..... 17/0 | 18/0
Alianza ..... 2 | 2½
Allison (£1 Shares) ..... 2 | 2½
Do. 5 p.c. Pref. ..... 86 | 89* -1
Amalgamated Cotton ..... 50/0 | 54/0
Anglo-Argentine Tram. ..... 84½ | 85
Anglo-Chilian Nitrate ..... 2½ | 2⅝
Anglo-Continental Guano ..... 11 | 12
Do. Southern Land ..... 1 | 1⅛
Armstrong (W. G.) ..... 16/0 | 17/0-0/3
Associated Newspapers ..... 18/0 | 19/0-0/3
Do. Pref. ..... 18/0 | 19/0-0/3
Bartholomay Rts. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Bartholomay Pref. ..... 2 | 2½
Bass, Ratcliff & Pref. ..... 89 | 92*
Do. Ord. ..... 97 | 99*
Bleachers ..... 6 | 6½
Borax Def. ..... 2 | 2½
Borril Def. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Brazilian Traction ..... 23½ | 23⅝
British Portland Cement ..... 1⅜ | 1½
B.S.A. ..... 1/10 | 1/10
British Oilfields Ord. ..... 1/9 | 1/9
British Oil and Cake ..... 1 | 1⅛
B.N.P. Land ..... 1 | 1⅛
Brit. Oil Electric Rail. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Do. 4½ p.c. Deb. ..... 82 | 84
Bryant and May ..... 2/0 | 2/0
Bradford Dyers ..... 2 | 2½
Bull (William) ..... 1 | 1⅛
British Glass ..... 2 | 2½
British Tramways ..... 1 | 1⅛
Cammell Laird ..... 2 | 2½
Cargo Fleet ..... 1 | 1⅛
Coats ..... 66 | 66½
Courtaulds ..... 2 | 2½
Do. Pref. ..... 19 | 20
Crosse and Blackwell ..... 4/3 | 4/9-0/3
Cunard ..... 2 | 2½
De La Rue Deb. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Dunlop Rubber ..... 2 | 2½
Do. Pref. ..... 103½ | 104 -1½
Dorman, Long ..... 2 | 2½
Elder Dempster 6 p.c. Pf. ..... 20/3 | 21/3
Electric Railway ..... 1 | 1⅛
English Sewing Cotton ..... 2½ | 2⅝
Fine Spinners ..... 2 | 2½
Fisher (W.) ..... 1 | 1⅛
Furness Withy ..... 1/7 | 1/8
Gen. Electric, Ord. ..... 2/3 | 2/6
Do. Debs. ..... 103½ | 104 -½
Guinness ..... 245 | 246 -5
Do. Pref. ..... 116 | 117
Gramophone Ord. ..... 4 | 4½
Harrods ..... 1 | 1⅛
Hoyle Dyers ..... 1 | 1⅛
Hudson's Bay Co. Ord. ..... 15½ | 15¾
Imperial Tobacco Ord. ..... 2/6 | 2/6 -0/3
John Brown ..... 17/0 | 18/0
John Dale ..... 1 | 1⅛
Lantern Nitrate ..... 7½ | 7⅝
Lever 7 p.c. Pref. ..... 120 | 122* -0/3
Lever 7 p.c. Deb. ..... 110 | 112
Lever 5 p.c. Debs. ..... 97 | 99
Lipton ..... 2 | 2½
Lyons (J.) ..... 4½ | 4¾
Lucayan Nitrate ..... 1 | 1⅛
Lyle (Thomas) Ord. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Do. Pref. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Liverpool Nitrate ..... 1 | 1⅛
London Nitrate ..... 4/0 | 4/3
Markhinfield (J.) Pref. ..... 2 | 2½
Marple Def. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Mond Nickel Pref. ..... 3 | 3⅛
Do. Bonds ..... 1 | 1⅛
Do. Bonds ..... 1 | 1⅛
Nobel Ind. & Pf. Bonds ..... 1 | 1⅛
Nitrate Corporation ..... 1 | 1⅛
Nitrate Railways ..... 1 | 1⅛
Nitrate Trusts ..... 1 | 1⅛
Nobel Explosives ..... 2 | 2½
Ocean Coal ..... 1 | 1⅛
Ocean Steam Ord. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Do. Pref. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Orenstein Arthur Koppel ..... 1 | 1⅛
Do. Pref. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Pearl Assurance ..... 1 | 1⅛
Pinchin Johnson ..... 1 | 1⅛
Do. Pref. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Pearson (C. A.) Pref. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Do. Deb. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Peruvian Corporation ..... 1 | 1⅛
Do. Pref. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Pinto Def. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Primitiva Def. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Rhodesian Anglo American ..... 1 | 1⅛
Rhodesian Corporation ..... 1 | 1⅛
Rhodesian Railways ..... 1 | 1⅛
Rhodesian Selection Trust ..... 1 | 1⅛
Rio Tinto Ord. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Do. Pref. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Rolls Royce ..... 1 | 1⅛
Rosario Nitrate ..... 1 | 1⅛
Salt Union ..... 1 | 1⅛
South Durham Steel ..... 1 | 1⅛
South Metropolitan Gas ..... 1 | 1⅛
South African Breweries ..... 1 | 1⅛
Spanish River Debs. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Santa Rita Nitrate ..... 1 | 1⅛
Santiago Nitrate ..... 1 | 1⅛
Sheffield Steel ..... 1 | 1⅛
Sheffield 6 p.c. Pref. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Siemens ..... 1 | 1⅛
Smithfield Arg. Meat ..... 1 | 1⅛
Spratt's Patent ..... 1 | 1⅛
Taracaca Nitrate ..... 1 | 1⅛
Union Cold Storage Pref. ..... 1 | 1⅛
United Alkali ..... 1 | 1⅛
United Steel ..... 1 | 1⅛
Vickers Ord. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Van Den Bergh ..... 1 | 1⅛
Do. Pref. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Walker (John) Pref. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Wallpaper Def. ..... 1 | 1⅛
Woermann-Ivens Ord. ..... 1 | 1⅛

TEA SHARES.

Anglo-Ceylon Estates, 32/6+6d.; Ceylon and T. L. Ord., 26/3+6d.; East Dunsbury, 52/3+6d.; Jokai, 33/-+1; Lingia, 26/6-1/9; Ringtis Ord., 58/6+6d.

Ex div. | Ex bonus. | Ex rights.

TIN OUTPUT.

Lower Bisichi Nigeria Tin Mines output for June, 74 tons. Jos Tin Area, Nigeria, 154 tons.

LONDON MINING MARKET DULL.

RISE IN CONSOLIDATED DIAMONDS.

The close of the business week saw no improvement in conditions in the House. Indeed, the depression was rather more pronounced than on the preceding days, and the further decline in gilt-edged securities exercised a bad influence all round. Not only was forced liquidation in progress, but there was considerable throwing off of option stocks, while in the Mining market the arrangement of preliminaries for the carry-over on Monday disclosed the fact that facilities were not in all cases so easily obtainable. Little interest was taken in the June returns from the Rand companies, though generally speaking they are satisfactory. In the Rhodesian department Chartered maintained a very firm appearance, but Cam and Motor and Selukwe were dullish and, apart from S.A. Proprietary, the other changes were adverse. Among Diamonds, De Beers Def. were 2s. 6d. on the wrong side, but Consolidated Diamonds were something of a feature, and registered a sharp advance. West Africans were hardly mentioned, and in the Australian section Associated further eased and Sulphides Ord. were flat. Rio Tinto, in the Copper list, were again on the down grade, while among Miscellaneous descriptions Mexico Mines weakened and San Francisco fell away, though the June return from the latter is expected to be satisfactory. Santa Gertrudis were also lower, but the Canadian issues, which claimed very little attention, were maintained at the previous level. The close of the week found Kaffirs irregular. Among Far Easterns, Geduld put on ⅛ at 3⅛, as did Modderfontein at 4⅛ and Modder Deep at 2⅛. Brakpan and Springs Mines declined ⅛ to 2⅛ and 2⅛ respectively. City Deep improved to 2⅛, and Consolidated Main Reef hardened 3d. to 8s. 9d. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U.			
10/9	Anglo-Amer. Corp.	1d-1⅛	
10/9	Anglo-French	15/6-15/9	
6/0	Brakpan	2⅛-2⅜	⅛
5/-	Cent. Mining (£5)	4⅞-5	
2/6	City Deep	2⅛-2⅜	⅛
2/6	Cons. Main Reef	8/6-8/9	
3/9	Cons. Mines	3/6-3/9	
2/6	Cons. Sales. (10/-)	1/7½-2/-	
4/9	Crown Mines	4/6-4/9	
3/-	E. Rand Mining	2/-/-	
2/6	E. Rand Prop.	2/-/-	
20/6	Ferreira	20/-/-	
1/3	Geduld	1⅜-3/8 + ⅛	
1/20	Gen. Mining	11/3-11/9	-0/3
1/-	Government Areas	4/3-4/6	
2/6	H. E. Prop.	2/6-2/9	
1/20	Johannesburg Land	11/3-11/9	
6/-	Kleinfontein	4/9-5/3	
6/7	Knight Central	5-5/7	
1/-	Knight's	19/3-17/9	
2/3	Langlaagte Estate	2/0-2/3	-0/3
2/6	Main Reef	8/6-8/9	
2/6	M'fontein (10/-)	4/4½ + ⅛	
1½	Modder B (5/-)	1⅞-2/0	
2/6	Modder Deep (£1)	2⅛-2⅜	+ ⅛
6/3	Modder East	5/6-6/0	
1/-	New State Areas..	1/6-1/9	
7/8	Nigel	7/5-8/0	
1/-	Nourse Mines	19/3-14/9	-0/3
2/6	Rand Mines	2/6-2/9	
2/6	Randfontein	2/6-2/10½	+0/3
1/-	Robinson Deep	1⅛-1⅜	
2/6	Robinson Dp. B	2/6-2/9	
1/20	Rose Deep	11/3-11/9	-0/3
2/6	S.A. Gold Trust	2/6-2/9	
2/6	Simmer & Jack	2/6-2/9	
1/3	Sub Nigel	1/0/6-1/2-0/3	
1/-	Transv. and Delg.	19/3-14/9	-0/3
2/6	Van Ryn (10/-)	5/6-5/9	
1/20	Union Corp. (1/20)	20/6-20/9	
2/6	Van Ryn	2/6-2/9	
2/6	Van Ryn Deep	3/3-3/7½	+ ⅛
2/6	Vereeniging	2/6-2/9	
1/20	Village Main	11/3-11/9	
2/6	Village Reef	2/6-2/9	
2/6	Witwatersrand	2/6-2/9	

RUSSIAN.

7/4½	Russo-Asiatic Cons.	6/5-7/0
2/6	Russian Mining	2/6-4/0
½	Siberian Props.	7/0-8/0
½	Spassky	⅜-⅝

BUSINESS DONE.

Anglo-American Corp.—20/-, 20/113. Brakpan—5/4½, 5/4½, 5/4½. Central South Africa—13/3, 13/3, 13/3. Cons. Main Reef—8/6, 8/6, 8/6. Consol. Diamond Mines S.W. Africa—20/-, 19/9, 44d., 19/9, 6d. Consol. Gold Fields—18/9, 18/-, 18/3, 18/-, 18/3. Crown Mines—4/6, 4/6, 4/6. Daggafontein—50/74, 1/3, 3½d., 7¼d., 50/-, (x.d.), 50/-, 7¼d. Durban Roodepoort—12/6, 12/6, 12/6. East Rand Prop.—4/9, 5/-. Ferreira—1/-, 1/-, 1/-. Geduld—2/-, 2/-, 3d., 44d., 6d. Geduld—50/-, 3d., 3/3, 50/74, 1/3. General Mining—11/-, 11/-, 11/-. Government Areas—5 41-64, 3/-. Johannesburg Investment—31/4½, 14d., 6d., 3d. Langlaagte—21/9. Modderfontein—3/-, 3/-, 3/-. Modderfontein Deep—2/1½, 2/1½, 2/1½. Modderfontein Deep (5/- shares)—43/9, 40/-, (x.d.). Modderfontein East—6/3, 6/3, 6/3. Nourse—22/3, 2/-. New Kleinfontein—4/6, 9d. New Randfontein—79/4½, 80/-, 3d.,

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B. & Co. FERNHURST, ORWELL PARK. JULY 19TH. CHARMING DETACHED NON-BASEMENT RESIDENCE, FAVOURABLY SITUATED

A FEW MINUTES FROM MILLTOWN GOLF LINKS. POSSESSION.

Contains diningroom, mirror overmantel, sliding doors to drawingroom, study, conservatory off, tiled floor and door to garden, 5 bedrooms, dressingroom, kitchen, (tiled scullery h. and c.), 2 servants' rooms, bathroom, w.c.'s, lavatory basin, bath (h. and c), hot linen press, copper cylinder. Entire in good order, nice garden in front. With side gate entrance; good garden at rear, garage, tool house, &c.
Held for a term of 999 years from 1st May, 1911, at the low rent of £16 0s. 0d. per annum. Clear possession to purchaser. Seen on order to view.
Messrs. MILWARD JONES, MAYNE and SHARPE, Solicitors, 6 Dawson street.

B. & Co. 42 ROCK ROAD, RATHMINES. JULY 19TH. CONVENIENT, NON-BASEMENT. POSSESSION.

A well-built, modern two storeyed house, with bay windows to top. Contains hall, drawing and diningroom, cosy, 4 bedrooms, servant's room, bath (h. and c.), w.c., kitchen, scullery, pantry, garden, &c. Held for 800 years. Head rent, £6 9s. 3d. per annum. Seen 2 to 4 o'clock daily or any evening after 6 o'clock.
H. B. O'HANLON, Solicitor, 58 Dame street.

B. & Co. CLUNY, ORWELL PARK. JULY 19TH. SEMI-DETACHED, NON-BASEMENT. POSSESSION.

A well-built, modern house, in excellent order. Contains 3 sittingrooms, cloakroom off hall, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, servant's room, bath (h. and c.), copper cylinder, boiler and pipes, w.c., gas and electric light, nice garden, side entrance.
Held for 970 years, subject to £15 per annum. Clear possession will be given to purchaser. Seen daily on order to view.
M. CARTAN O'MARA, Solicitor, 27 South Frederick street.

B. & Co. £27 6s. 0d. GROUND RENT PER ANNUM. JULY 19TH. ABSOLUTELY SECURED OUT OF 10, 12, 14, 16, 37, 39, 41, 43 MOYNE ROAD, RATHMINES.

Held for ever. Indemnified from rent, and sub-lessed for 900 years at rents amounting to £27 6s. 0d. per annum. To be sold in one lot.
Messrs. HUNTER and BURLAND, Solicitors, 11 Dame street.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
THURSDAY, AUGUST 9TH, AT OUR SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND ST.
RIVERVIEW, ENNISCORTHY.
WITH 90 STATUTE ACRES, FREE OF RENT FOR EVER.

RIVERVIEW is a comfortable, stone-built, two-storeyed, non-basement residence, conveniently situated, with good accommodation, standing upon 90 Statute Acres, in suitable divisions, well fenced and watered. Entire held for River, Free of Rent. Clear Possession will be given to Purchaser. Full particulars will duly appear.
Messrs. MILEY and MILEY, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 12 South Frederick street, Dublin.

COLLEGNES, BOOTERSTOWN.
RESIDUE OF FURNITURE, OUTDOOR EFFECTS, AND MOTOR CAR.
TUESDAY, JULY 17TH.

HAVING Sold the Residence, we are further instructed TO SELL BY AUCTION, on the Premises, on the above date, a useful Residue of Furniture and Outdoor Effects, comprising as follows:—Mahogany Large Circular Dining Table, Revolving Bookcase, Turkey Carpet, Engravings and Coloured Prints, Antique Boxes, a small Library of Books, Stuffed Mahogany Armchair, Antique Mahogany Framed Sofa, Spinning Wheel, Antique Mahogany Grandfather Clock, Mahogany Falling Leaf and Side Tables, Rosewood Case Collard and Collard Pianette, Singer Sewing Machine, Mahogany Chest of Drawers, Oak Double Bedstead and Bedding, Baby's Cot and Play-ground, Vacuum Cleaner, Bentwood and other Chairs, Garden Tools, Deck Chairs, Log Boxes, Barnford Hay Chopper, Cross Cut Saws, Tool Bench and Tools, Pennsylvania Lawn Mower, Garden Implements and Seats, Ladders, Cart, and small Garden Cart and Handcart, Water Carrier, Iron Tanks, &c.; Armstrong Whitworth 15/20 H.P. 4-cylinder Motor Car, with hood, nearly new tyres; Acetylene Bushmore Head Lights.
On view morning of Sale, 10 to 12 o'clock. Sale at 12 o'clock. Terms cash and 5 per cent. fees.

BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS,
39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.

SALE THIS DAY.
JAMES HILL & SON, 10, 11, 12 BACHELOR'S WALK.
THREE DAYS' FURNITURE AUCTION,
COMMENCING TO-DAY (SATURDAY),
MONDAY AND TUESDAY NEXT (IN CONTINUATION).

MESSRS. JAMES HILL and SON beg to announce that they will hold a HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE AT THEIR ROOMS, as above, of an IMMENSE COLLECTION of HIGH-CLASS MODERN AND ANTIQUE FURNITURE,
PIANOFORTES, CARPETS, ROLL-TOP DESK, AND EFFECTS,

Comprising principally: Three superior Cottage Pianofortes, by Pohlmann and Son, London, and other well-known makers; Oak Roll-top Desk, two superb Mahogany Enclosed Louis China Display Cabinets, Mahogany and Walnut Inlaid Music Cabinets, two handsome Dinner Four-fold Screens, Pair Inlaid Walnut China Cabinets; Chesterfield Settee, in Crimson Velvet, and Pair Easy Chairs to match; Pair Lounge Arm Chairs, in Saddlebags and Velvet; magnificent Mahogany Enclosed, Inlaid and Ormolu-mounted China Cabinet, with Ornamental to match; 12 superior Mahogany, Walnut and Oak Dining Chairs, with Spring Seats; Mahogany Enclosed Sideboards, with Brass and Plate Backs; several Mahogany Cabinets and Walnut Marble-top and Glass-back Chiffoniers, two Mahogany Bookcases and Cabinets, Pair Oak Glazed Cabinets and Bookcases; 4ft. Sailswood Bedroom Suite, of five pieces—i.e., Wardrobe with Centre-mirror Door, Pair Duchess Tables, Chest of Drawers and Pedestal, on suite; 4ft. 6in. Satin Walnut Bedroom Suite, of three pieces; 7ft. Burr Walnut Bedroom Suite, of three pieces; 4ft. Oak Bedroom Suite, of three pieces; 3ft. 6in. Mahogany Bedroom Suite, of three pieces; 5ft. Mahogany Break-front Glass-door Wardrobe, 7ft. Birds'-eye Maple Break-front Mirror-door do. Mahogany-lined; very fine 7ft. Burr Walnut Mirror-door do.—all in excellent condition and of high-class manufacture; several very fine Overmantels, in the Chippendale, Adam, and Louis styles; Shop Mirrors, two Gentlemen's Antique Wardrobes; 10 Mahogany Screw-expanding Dining Tables, in sizes from 6ft. to 14ft. long; high-class Dressingroom and Diningroom Suites, of seven and nine pieces, in variety; Sets of Mahogany Brass-back and Oak Bedsteads; Inlaid Overstrung and Easy Chairs; richly-Carved Oak Hall Table and Pair Hall Chairs to match; Mahogany, Walnut and Oak Hall Stands and Chairs; Brass Fenders, Curbs and Brasses, Fire Screens, Coal Cabinets, All-Brass, Black and Brass and Wooden Bedsteads, with Woven-wire Springs and Hair Mattresses; Bedding, &c.; Oil Paintings, Engravings, Water-Colour Drawings; Tapestry, Velvet and Lace Curtains; Breakfast, Dinner and Tea Services, Plated Ware; Bicycles, Sewing Machines; Kitchen and Deal Furniture—Wardrobes, Presses, Tables, Chairs, Wright's "Eureka" Gas Stove, 200 "Ozeran" Electric Bulbs, 220 v., 50 c.p.; and Miscellaneous Effects. Sale commences 1 p.m. each day. Purchasers pay 5 per cent. Fees. Pianofortes and Superior Furniture Sold at 2 p.m.

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79 MERRION SQUARE.
PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF SALE.

WM. MONTGOMERY and SON ARE INSTRUCTED TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, AS ABOVE, EARLY NEXT MONTH, A LARGE RESIDUE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS, comprising chiefly:—
Carved Oak French Sideboard, Oak Hall and Ko-re-hole Writing Tables, French China Cabinets, with Ormolu mounts; Mahogany Dining Table and Chairs, Set 6 Papier Mache Chairs, Range Mahogany Bookcases, 11' 6" long; Rustic Writing, Sofa, Corner Chairs, Pillar-and-Claw Tables, Chest Drawers, Music Cabinet, Walnut Tables, 3 French Chests Drawers, with marble tops; 9-Door Linen Press, Mahogany Hall Seat, 300 Volumes of Medical and other Books, Bedsteads and Bedding, Mouse and Table linen, Worcester Dessert and French China Dinner Services, Table Glass and China, Brussels and Axminster Stair and Floor Carpets, Linoleum, Curtains, and Blinds, Electric Fittings; Kitchen Furniture, Copper Cooking Utensils, Meat Safes; Furniture of two Servants' Bedrooms, about 2 Dozen Champagne and other Wines, etc. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Fees.

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WM. MONTGOMERY and SON are instructed to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON AN EARLY DATE, AT GAINSBORO' HOUSE,
A VERY EXTENSIVE STOCK OF DRAPERY GOODS,

Comprising principally: Ladies' and Gentlemen's Readymade Costumes and Suits, Tweeds, Woollens, Millinery, Hosiery, Boots and Shoes, etc., etc.
Further particulars in future advertisements.

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JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES.

SALE TUESDAY NEXT, 10TH JULY.
230 CLONLIFFE ROAD, DRUMCONDRA.—(POSSESSION TO PURCHASER).

MODERN TWO-STOREYED HOUSE, containing six rooms, kitchen and servant's room, bathroom. Lease 900 years, and sold subject to £4 12s. 0d. per annum. Key at 120 Grafton street.
Messrs. MAXWELL, WELDON and CO., Solicitors, North Great George's street.

No. 6 GROSVENOR SQUARE, RATHMINES.—CHOICE RESIDENTIAL POSITION. Clear possession. Lease 800 years from 1st May, 1882. Ground Rent £4 4s. per annum. Dining and drawing rooms, breakfast room, 3 good bedrooms, bath (h. and c.). 2 w.c.'s, servant's room; good garden, rear entrance; entrance under hall-door steps.
H. J. McCORMICK, Solicitor, 87 Molesworth street.

SALE TUESDAY, 17TH JULY.
"ARDTONA," DUNDRUM (CHURCHTOWN ROAD).—AN EXCEPTIONALLY DESIRABLE Residence, standing detached on 1a. acres, in the most perfect order; electric light, Varity water, good modern sewerage. A handsome building, approached through two lodge entrances, has the following accommodation:—On the first floor, oak panelled lounge hall, three large and lofty reception rooms, silk panelled; fully fitted billiard room. On the first floor return, a well fitted bathroom, dressingroom, hot press, etc. The walls of these rooms are tiled. On the second floor there are five family bedrooms, 2 dressingrooms, and nursery. There are also servants' rooms, butler's pantry, and the usual domestic offices. The Out-offices are well constructed, in good order, electrically lighted, water throughout. The pleasure grounds are well laid out and planted. There are two tea houses, tennis court, croquet lawn, gulf green, etc.; the garden, well enclosed, and planted with good fruit trees. There is greenhouse, vinery, tomato house, etc. The Lands comprise about 13 acres. Statute, all good grass lands, well divided. Held for 900 years, subject to £90 per annum.
Immediate Possession can be given to Purchaser. Photos at Office.
PETER M. SEALES, Solicitor, 11 College Green, Dublin.

3 MAYVILLE TERRACE, LESLIE AV., DALKEY.—CLEAR POSSESSION. PRIVATE DWELLINGHOUSE, within easy reach of the tram and sea. Sold indemnified against rent. Lease 999 years. Accommodation: 3 sittingrooms, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, scullery, w.c.'s, etc.; gas and electric bells.

No. 1 STONEVILLE (108 COLIEMORE ROAD), DALKEY.—Let on 999 years. Sold indemnified from rent. Let to a weekly tenant at 10/- per week. A conveniently-situated dwellinghouse.
M. CARTAN O'MEARA, Solicitor, 27 South Frederick street.

SALE TUESDAY, 31ST JULY.
SANDFORD ROAD.
DWELLINGHOUSES, PROFIT RENTS, AND BUILDING GROUND. SALE IN SIX LOTS.

LOTS 1 TO 5.—THE DESIRABLY-SITUATED PRIVATE DWELLINGHOUSES, known as Nos. 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 SANDFORD ROAD, RANELAGH, held for ever, to be Sold, subject to £5 per annum each. These Houses are situated on the tram line, in a favourite residential district. They have good gardens front and rear, and are Let to tenants at very moderate rents, which, as Nos. 2, 4, 6, 8, have not been fully increased. The Houses will be Sold separately, and offer an excellent opportunity for investment in well situated and well circumstanced house property.

LOT 6.—1A. 3R. 39½P., WITH COTTAGE STANDING THEREON, SITUATED AT the rear of the foregoing Houses, with entrance from Woodstock Gardens, and also entrance from Sandford road, and forming an excellent Building Site. At present let to temporary tenants.
ALSO,
£10 18s. 4D. PROFIT GROUND RENT, PAYABLE UNDER THREE LEASES Out of Nos. 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13 Woodstock Gardens, 7, 8, 9, 10 Woodstock Parade, and 2, 4, 6, 8 Woodstock Gardens. The ground rents received amount to £33 10s. per annum, and the Lot will be Sold primarily liable to £23 14/8 per annum, so that a purchaser of this Lot will have the Building Ground and Cottage virtually free of rent, with a well secured profit rent, in addition of £10 13/4. Held for ever. The ground rents are payable under leases for 900 years.
Messrs. HENRY T. DIX and SONS, Solicitors, 54 Clare street, Dublin.

FURNITURE SALES.

SALE THURSDAY NEXT, 12TH JULY.
FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
2 NORTHUMBERLAND PLACE, DUN LAOGHAIRE.
HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,

Comprising: Pianoforte by Haake; Pianoforte by Meizler; Mahogany Telescope Dining Table, Mahogany Dining Chairs, Drawingroom Suite in red plush; Inlaid Oval Tables, Occasional Tables and Chairs, Inlaid Chiffonier, large Gilt Mirrors, Gilt Girandoles, large Axminster Carpets and various Rugs; China and Glass Ware, Dessert Ware, Dinner, Tea, and Breakfast Ware, Copper, Brass, and Plated Ware; Inlaid Mantle Mirror, Bedroom Suite, Duchesse Pair, Mahogany Dressing Tables, Wash Stands, Toilet Ware, large Mirror-door Mahogany Wardrobe, Beds and Bedding, Kitchen Table, Kitchen Utensils, and Mangle, in perfect condition.
ON VIEW DAY PREVIOUS, 10-5 P.M. DELIVERY AFTER SALE.

SALE TUESDAY, 17TH JULY.
CORONA, SUTTON CROSS, SUTTON.
ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE.

JAMES H. NORTH and CO., HAVING SOLD THE HOUSE, are further instructed to SELL THE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,

Including: UPRIGHT PIANOFORTE, by Pigott; Chesterfield Settee, Lounge and Easy Chairs, China Cabinet Queen Anne pattern Mahogany Sideboard, with Mirror Back; Antique Bureau and Bookcase; Mahogany Telescope Dining Table, on Cabriole Legs; Set of Chippendale Dining Chairs, upholstered in Leather; Fire Seat, Screens, Fenders, which effects; good oak Bedroom Suite, of five pieces; Wardrobe with Centre-mirror Door, Pair Duchess Tables, Chest of Drawers and Pedestal, on suite; 4ft. 6in. Satin Walnut Bedroom Suite, of three pieces; 7ft. Burr Walnut Bedroom Suite, of three pieces; 4ft. Oak Bedroom Suite, of three pieces; 3ft. 6in. Mahogany Bedroom Suite, of three pieces; 5ft. Mahogany Break-front Glass-door Wardrobe, 7ft. Birds'-eye Maple Break-front Mirror-door do. Mahogany-lined; very fine 7ft. Burr Walnut Mirror-door do.—all in excellent condition and of high-class manufacture; several very fine Overmantels, in the Chippendale, Adam, and Louis styles; Shop Mirrors, two Gentlemen's Antique Wardrobes; 10 Mahogany Screw-expanding Dining Tables, in sizes from 6ft. to 14ft. long; high-class Dressingroom and Diningroom Suites, of seven and nine pieces, in variety; Sets of Mahogany Brass-back and Oak Bedsteads; Inlaid Overstrung and Easy Chairs; richly-Carved Oak Hall Table and Pair Hall Chairs to match; Mahogany, Walnut and Oak Hall Stands and Chairs; Brass Fenders, Curbs and Brasses, Fire Screens, Coal Cabinets, All-Brass, Black and Brass and Wooden Bedsteads, with Woven-wire Springs and Hair Mattresses; Bedding, &c.; Oil Paintings, Engravings, Water-Colour Drawings; Tapestry, Velvet and Lace Curtains; Breakfast, Dinner and Tea Services, Plated Ware; Bicycles, Sewing Machines; Kitchen and Deal Furniture—Wardrobes, Presses, Tables, Chairs, Wright's "Eureka" Gas Stove, 200 "Ozeran" Electric Bulbs, 220 v., 50 c.p.; and Miscellaneous Effects. Sale commences 1 p.m. each day. Purchasers pay 5 per cent. Fees. Pianofortes and Superior Furniture Sold at 2 p.m.

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DOCKRELL LIMITED

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PROPERTY AUCTION, THURSDAY, JULY 19.
DUNINGA HOUSE AND 354 ACRES.
FREE OF RENT FOR EVER.

TWO MILES FROM GORESBRIDGE, THREE MILES FROM BAGENALSTOWN, CO. KILKENNY.

Tithe Rent-charge, £12 15/4; Terminable Board of Works Charge, £12 10/-; Poor Law Valuation, £295 5/-. The Estate has been well maintained, and is laid out in permanent pasture and arable land, principally cropped by the Hawkins Motor Co., Ltd., situated in Hawkins street, held under Lease for 21 years from 1st September, 1921, at the very low rent of £600 per annum.
The Premises to be offered for Sale comprise one of the most spacious and convenient Business PREMISES lately occupied by the Hawkins Motor Co., Ltd., situated in Hawkins street, held under Lease for 21 years from 1st September, 1921, at the very low rent of £600 per annum.
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